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BRITISH STEAMER RESCUES 31 FROM FOUNDERING TRAWLER

JAPANESE PLANS BIG ADDITION TO WAR FLEET

Cruisers & Submarines Costly List.

NAVY DENIES REPORT.

Tokyo, To-day. According to press reports, whose accuracy the Navy Office denies, but which are based on intelligent anticipation, the Navy Ministry is seeking the sanction of a ¥400,000,000 naval replenishment programme, spread over a period of four years. The programme includes two cruisers, of 18,500-ton each, one aircraft carrier of 18,000 tons, seven destroyers, six submarines, one minelayer of 5,000 tons and several minesweepers and torpedo boats, as well as five additional air squadrons. — Reuter.

Open Door In Manchuria

Questions In The House Of Commons.

London, To-day. Replying to House of Commons questions yesterday Sir John Simon said the British Government had so far no grounds for doubting that the open door would be effectively maintained in Manchuria in accordance with the assurance given by both the Japanese Government and the Manchurian authorities.

Major Colville said that the Department for Overseas Trade Export Credits Advisory Committee were not at present prepared to recommend the granting of guarantees covered by credits for more than eighteen months in respect of exports to Russia. Captain Eden, Under-Secretary Foreign Affairs, asked whether there had been, or would be, any trade reciprocity discussion between representatives of the Argentine Government and of Great Britain regarding such of the Ottawa Conference proposals as referred to British imports of wheat and meat replied that an exchange of views was already taking place. — British Wireless Service.

PROBATE GRANTED IN E. R. DAVEY ESTATE.

Government Analyst Leaves \$27,700.

\$429,300 FOR KUNG HEIRS.

In the estate of Timothy Herlihy, deceased, late of 1,006 Agate Avenue, Pacific Beach, California, valued at \$30,200, letters of administration have been granted to Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, solicitor. An application for the re-issuing of letters of administration in the estate of Philip Henry Cole, 2835, 34th Avenue, San Francisco, California, valued at \$3,000, has been granted to Daniel John Lewis, solicitor. In the estate of Kung Ah Tong of No. 4, Chancery Lane, Hong Kong, who died on February 6, 1932, leaving \$429,300, probate has been granted to Kung Leong Shi, widow; Chung Mee Yui, concubine; and to Kung Main Shain, merchant. In the estate of Edward Anderson, late of 67, Portland Court, Great Portland Street, Middlesex, England, who died on February 18, 1932, at Mandville Place in Middlesex, leaving \$55,200, an application for the

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Princess Helen photographed with the Crown Prince of Rumania on the occasion of their recent reunion in London. Due to the publicity accorded the former boy-king and his mother, King Carol recalled Michael cutting short his visit to England.

LIU-HAN DISPUTE NEARS FINAL SETTLEMENT.

General Liu To Replace Ma In Southern Honan.

Nanking, To-day. It is learned that the Government intends to send General Liu Chen-nien's troops into Southern Honan to replace the forces of General Ma Hung-kwei, who is at present conducting the anti-bandit campaign in that district. The latter's army will be sent to Garrison Eastern Shantung. The removal of General Liu's forces from Shantung is expected to complete the settlement of the dispute between General Liu and General Han Fu-chu. — Reuter.

BRITONS SAFE DESPITE WARS WITHIN CHINA

Sir John Simon Sees No Menace.

QUESTIONS IN PARLIAMENT.

London, To-day. In the House of Commons, responding to an invitation to make a statement of the general situation in China, Sir John Simon mentioned, among other things, the hostilities in Szechuan and Shantung, but gave assurance that there was no danger apprehended for British lives and property. He also mentioned the improvement in the Communist situation in Central and South China where Government troops were dispersing the Red bandits by a series of punitive expeditions. (Continued on Page 4.)

PRINCESS WINS AWARD FROM CAROL

Given Balance From Castle's Sale.

LUMP SALE OF £25,000.

Bucharest, To-day. Princess Helen, wife of King Carol of Rumania, will leave London almost at once for her home. Her reply to the Government's terms offered in respect of her demands for larger allowances, the right of six months' custody of the Crown Prince Michael and upkeep of a castle of her own, has not yet been received. It is understood, however, that she has accepted the offer of the Government for a liberal annual remittance. She will also receive a lump sum of £25,000, the balance due to her for the sale of her castle on the Black Sea coast, which was sold by the War Department some time ago. — Reuter.

UNEMPLOYED REFUSE AID FROM LABOUR

Approach Government Independently.

London, To-day. Independent Labour member, Mr. John McGovern, who had intended to put a petition to the House of Commons asking leave for a deputation of the unemployed marchers now in London to be received at the Bar of the House, stated yesterday afternoon that organisers of the marchers had refused to provide a deputation for this purpose. He said he regretted that decision and felt sure the unemployed marchers would resent the loss of such an opportunity. He added that although the co-operation of the Independent Labour Party had been rejected, they would still continue in their own way to work on behalf of this unfortunate section of society. Leaders of the unemployed marchers' movement desire to present a large petition to Parliament asking for the withdrawal of the Means Test and restoration of economy cuts at the same time persuading Parliament by their own efforts to receive a deputation at the bar of the House. — British Wireless Service.

Wuchow, To-day. Largely through the influence of General Li Chung-yan, who has been acting as commander-in-chief of the Fourth Group Army in Kwangtung, the Government of Kwangsi has been making plans for the development of its air services, both commercial and military. Kwangsi is in line with other provinces of China, all of which are becoming increasingly air-minded, in its plans for air enterprises. At present its fighting force is small, consisting of six pursuit ships, two scout planes, and six training craft. The commercial planes at the disposal of the Government have been increased. Two large passenger-carrying vessels arrived in Hong Kong recently and it is understood that others are on order. General Lam Wai-shing will take delivery of the planes here. Messrs. Wong So, former Canton Arsenal Chief, and Chow Pohan, former principal of the Canton Aviation School, have gone to Kwangsi to assist in air organisation.

INTERESTING PROMOTIONS IN THE NAVY

Vice-Admiral Boyle A Full Admiral.

VETERAN'S RETIREMENT.

London, To-day. Interesting personalities figure in the naval promotions list announced by the Admiralty to-night. Vice-Admiral Sir William Boyle is appointed a full Admiral; Rear-Admirals H. T. Wainwright and E. R. G. Evans (of Broke) become Vice-Admirals; Captain C. A. M. Sarsel retires on promotion to Rear-Admiral and Admiral P. H. Hall Thompson retires at his own request to facilitate the promotion of younger officers. — Reuter.

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JAPANESE SAILORS BROUGHT HERE

THRILLING STORY OF BATTLE WITH SEA

THE THRILLING TALE OF THE RESCUE OF 31 JAPANESE SEAMEN FROM THE BATTERED HULK OF THE FISHING TRAWLER—SHEA—SHAN MARU 150 MILES FROM PRATAS SHOAL, WAS RELATED BY OFFICERS OF THE BRITISH STEAMSHIP GLENSHIELD, CAPT. R. L. SANDERS COMMANDING, WHICH ARRIVED IN HONG KONG AT 9 P.M. LAST NIGHT, MORE THAN 24 HOURS OVERDUE.

The Japanese craft, sighted in a sinking condition, had lost her mast and rudder, was out of fuel and stores, and her crew were almost exhausted by their ceaseless battle with the sea, which had lasted for three days.

The Glenshiel left Singapore at 11 a.m. on October 25, bound for Hong Kong, which was a Tuesday. On Saturday last she encountered heavy weather and the wireless reports and readings of her own instruments told her that she was running straight into a typhoon, whose severity was known to be great. On Sunday, consequently, she turned back, and set a course which would take her out of the danger area. But as it was, she had a struggle against heavy weather.

Yesterday, at an early hour, she was proceeding towards Hong Kong again, and at 6.15, in the grey light of dawn and over an intervening waste of turbulent sea, officers on the bridge sighted the dim flare of a rocket.

The Glenshiel made all haste to answer the distress signal and as she drew nearer to the stricken craft, watchers on her decks perceived the hulk of the Japanese trawler, swept by the great seas, and to which her famished and exhausted crew were clinging. The heavy weather made manoeuvres difficult, but the Glenshiel made her way alongside the trawler and dropped ladders, to her deck. In the steamer's lee, the Japanese sailors climbed to the deck of the rescue ship. The trawler's skipper was the last man to leave his ship and the crew, to the last man, left their vessel without the least panic or sign of fear, though the life of the little vessel was momentarily in danger. She was literally sinking under the feet of the skipper when he came up the Glenshiel's ladder.

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POLICE PUT END TO COOLIE WAR.

Gangs Clash At Dam Site.

50 MEN INVOLVED.

A fight at the Aberdeen Lower Dam yesterday, in which nearly 50 men, members of the Kin Lee and Yuen On firms of building contractors, armed with axes, shovels and poles, participated, was quelled by the timely appearance of the Police. They scattered the crowd and only three were arrested, one of whom was injured in the right arm. He was sent to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment. There was a sequel when the three men appeared before Mr. Schofield, in the Central Magistrate's court this morning, charged with fighting. The first two defendants were fined \$25 or one month's gaol each and bound over. The third man, who admitted he had an axe but had gone to the dam to find a friend, was discharged with a caution.

The Magistrate in imposing the fines remarked: "I am getting tired of these continual fights at the Lower Dam."

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Tragedy In Offices Of Anderson, Meyer.

Harbin, To-day.

Yet another tragedy has taken place in Harbin—on this occasion a suicide. Employees of Messrs. Anderson, Meyer and Company were alarmed yesterday afternoon to hear a shot from the office of the manager, Mr. S. J. Kolpachnikoff, rushing into the room. Mr. Kolpachnikoff, a Russian-naturalised American, aged fifty, was found sprawling at his desk. Investigation showed he had shot himself with a Browning automatic, which was still tightly grasped in his hand, the bullet entering the left temple and leaving from the right side of the chin. Death was instantaneous. He left a letter conveying his last wishes and apologies to the American Consul-General, Mr. G. C. Hanson, and on his desk was found a note in Russian in which he states that he accuses "nobody" of being responsible for his death. He also left a letter with his insurance receipts for his wife. It is considered that his suicide had been premeditated for several days, the reason for his tragic act being that his future was uncertain, as Messrs. Anderson, Meyer are liquidating their offices in Harbin. — Reuter.

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FOUR BOATMEN RESCUED FROM DEATH AT SEA

Junk Picks Up Crew Of Sunken Craft.

IN SEA FOR 24 HOURS.

After clinging for nearly 24 hours to the wreckage of their junk which had foundered in the typhoon on Friday, off Lo Ting-wan, four boatmen were picked up by another junk on Saturday morning. They were brought on board in an exhausted state, and on arrival in Hong Kong yesterday were removed to the Tung Wah Hospital. In a report to the Police at Shaikwan, Chung Yau, 30, master of a fishing junk, stated that at about 6.30 on Saturday morning while sailing in the vicinity of the Lo Ting Wan during a heavy gale, he had picked up four Chinese who were clinging to the wreckage of their junk. The four men, all boatmen on the wrecked craft, were Cheung Che-ng, 30, Yue Kwai-shien, 36, Cheung Ah-tak, 20, and Lee Ah-tong, 45, who are all now lying in the Tung Wah Hospital recovering from their long exposure and heavy buffeting.

Driven To Sea. The trawler set her course for open water and fought her way against the force of the wind and the rapidly rising water. Waves were mountains in the vicinity of Pratas Shoals and they swept her from end to end. All Friday she battled and through the night Saturday dawned with the crew weary and apprehensive. And there was no rest for them that day. It was impossible to secure food. What little remained to them was washed overboard by the sea which penetrated everywhere. The mast went overboard, dragged for a little time, and threatened them with disaster when seas pounded it against their hull. Seamen finally succeeded in cutting it away.

Rudder Lost. Towards the end of the day the rudder was lost. The little craft was helpless now and it was impossible to set a jury rig in the heavy seas.

TREASURY TO REDEEM BIG BOND ISSUE

Notice Of Repayment On February 1.

\$114,000,000 INVOLVED.

London, To-day. In accordance with the right reserved to them under the prospectuses of December, 1927, and August, 1928, issued by the Bank of England, the Treasury gives notice to the holders of 5 per cent Treasury bonds 1932 to 1935 that these bonds will be repaid at par on February 1, 1933, together with six months' interest due on that date. Interest on the bonds will then cease. The sum involved represents about \$114,000,000. — British Wireless Service.

EUROPEAN'S CHARGE CONTINUES.

Henry Urmi Called In Central Court.

Henry Urmi, a Swiss, was called before Mr. Schofield in the Central Police Court this afternoon, charged with having carnal knowledge of a Chinese girl, age 18 years, without her consent, on the Island Road, Shaikwan district. Detective-Inspector W. Shannon is prosecuting, while the defence is being conducted by Mr. W. A. Mackinlay, of Deacons.

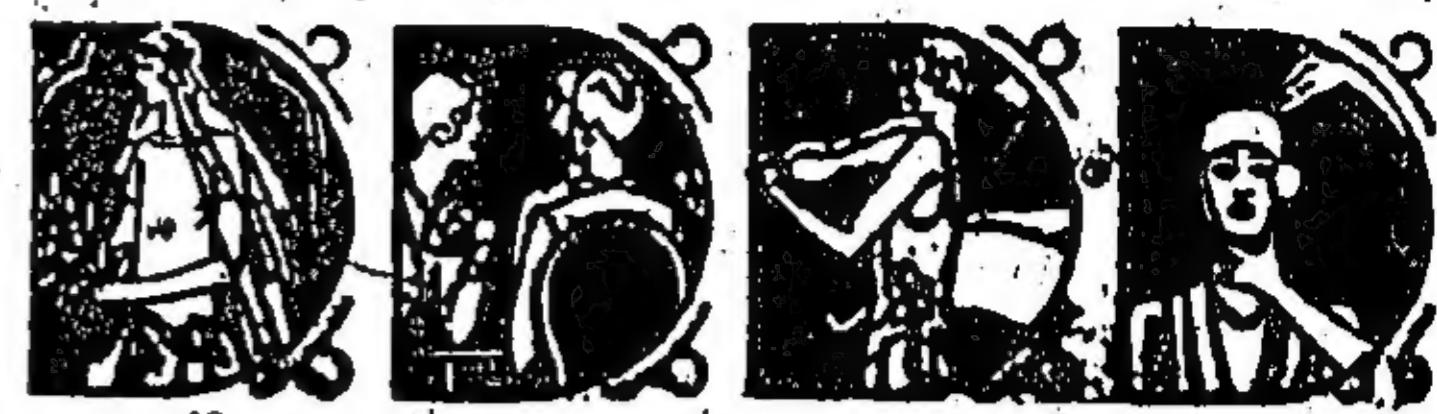
REWARD POSTED FOR TWO HIGHWAYMEN.

Armed Robbery Haul Worth \$2,207.

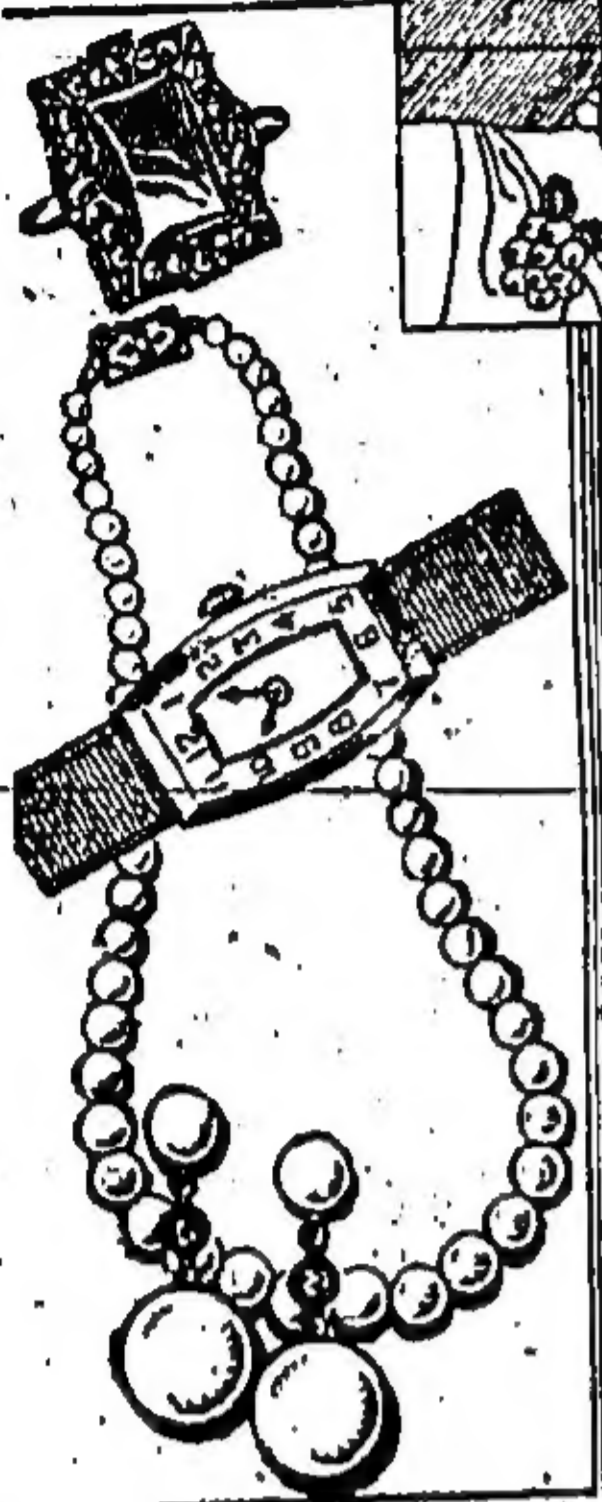
In connection with the hold up of Mr. A. V. Alvares, of Chatham Road, and Miss Maria Botelho, on the night of October 15, when shots were fired by two men, and the Portuguese couple were relieved of their valuables, worth \$1,207 and a ring worth \$1,000, the Inspector-General of Police has offered a reward of \$250 for the arrest and conviction of the robbers. A reward of \$160 is offered by the Police for the arrest and conviction of a man concerned in the theft of a diamond-studded platinum ring stolen from Ullmann's jewellery establishment on October 13.



The Woman's Page



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JERSEY GAINS IN POPULARITY.

Chanel's Soft Wool In New Styles.

Mlle. Chanel first launched her luscious soft wool jersey, exquisite to the touch and lovely to behold, several years ago. Ever since the first yardage made its appearance its popularity has been gaining momentum. This autumn a New York house has turned its attention to this fabric and is putting out an interesting collection of sports dresses of the kind to be worn with or without a coat. They are made on semi-tailored lines, carefully studied to express comfort in every seam.

Serving the same purpose as jersey is fine cashmere. Already an effort to promote it in natural tones for early autumn is appearing. The neutral shade, falling into the grey class, and the light, soft texture are characteristics which practically guarantee its success. Cashmere lends itself to two kinds of treatment—the frock on dress-maker lines or the tailored dress. In the former class come the smocked frocks, which are informal and young; in the latter come the dresses with severe lines, but none the less young—of the type which Chanel designed when she first put her jerseys on the market.

When you are considering a jersey or cashmere frock, do not forget your accessories, for they will count much this autumn. Hats and scarfs, yes, and even belts and purses are more than ever an integral part of the costume, they harmonize not only in colour but often even in fabric.

WHITE SHOES STILL ARE POPULAR.

Practical Footwear For Walking.

Shoes occupy an important place—they are simple, well cut, beautifully fitted and finished. All-white is still worn, or white is mixed with a soft black or brown kid. Those fashioned in the old "pump" shape are without straps, but have a dainty brogue round the edges. The narrow crossing straps in pale coloured kid, with ultra-high heels, are correct with lacy or cambric gowns.

Sometimes, if a dark coat and hat be worn over a light frock, the shoes may be on the dark side, with pochette to correspond. This is a fashion that will go on with winter. Fancy sandals of fine kid and plaited work, with insertions of colour, on the other hand, will pass out with the wane of summery clothes.

The new walking shoe—even for town—is much more practical; a high Cuban heel displaces the peep-toe and some are firmly laced. The two colours and two fabrics can be worn, leather with suede, or kid with lizard.

Beige and brown, dark green and grey, black and white, and a new dark brown with lighter trimmings are all in the autumn list. For a little more dressy occasion shoes can stress a high heel and colours to match a frock, dark blue, red, or green.



BEAUTY OF COIFFURE

Hints For Women Who Care.

Hair is one of the things which differs most in different countries, always allowing for the fact that the cinematograph is international and that if the cinematograph promotes peroxide blondes, peroxide blondes there will always be. Both in England and America the tendency is towards longer hair, and American babies, it seems, are again cultivating plaits as soon as plaits are possible, while those who have not yet grown a sufficiency of hair are provided with bows attached to what hair may be. In Paris hair continues to be short, unless it is really long and can be brushed straight back from the forehead and behind the ears and clinched in a perfectly smooth coil at the back. Masses of little curls are often arranged over the back, but they are all short, and the keynote of all Paris hair is that it must above all things be neat, even if this neatness be acquired by means of curling or unguents or what not.

English hair has been more untidy than usual this summer, and the half-length which flops about the shoulders of grown-up people would be ugly on a flapper and is still uglier on those who should have learnt something of the art of hairdressing. In all hairdressing the quality of the hair must be forgotten—and with people with pretty hair this is rather difficult—and shape must be studied. Hair may be lovely in itself and yet be unattractive if shape be not considered. Hair must enhance shape; it must not take the place of it. A pretty method which compromises between the long and the short hair brushes the hair straight back from the forehead and behind the ears and then curls it rather stiffly behind. The hair is cut fairly short, but long enough to make curls which are less than Second Empire. With a well-shaped head this not only enhances the head but the hair as well, and with ear-rings it can look sophisticatedly charming.

MOTHER OF THE REICHSTAG.

Frau Klara Zetkin, the Communist "firebrand" who for her revolutionary activity in Germany was decorated with the Soviet Star by the Moscow Government, is, with her 75 years, the oldest member of the Reichstag, and, as such, presided over its first sittings.

MENU SUGGESTIONS FOR TO-MORROW.

A Dinner Menu
Corn on the Cob... Creamed Potatoes
Bread... Currant Jelly
Cottage Cheese Pineapple Salad
Salad Dressing
Lemon Pudding... Coffee

Cottage Cheese Pineapple Salad
1 package lemon-flavoured gelatin mixture
1 cup boiling pineapple juice
1 cup boiling water
2/3 cup crushed pineapple
1 cup cottage cheese
1/4 teaspoon salt
Pour pineapple juice and water over gelatin mixture. Stir until dissolved. Cool and allow to thicken a little. Mix, add rest of ingredients. Pour into mould rinsed out of cold water. Set in cold place to stiffen. Unmould on lettuce, surround with dressing.

Salad Dressing.
2 eggs
1 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon paprika
1/4 teaspoon dry mustard
5 tablespoons sugar
2 tablespoons flour
1/2 cup vinegar
3 tablespoons lemon juice
1/2 cup water
1/2 cup whipped cream
Beat eggs. Add dry ingredients. Add vinegar, lemon juice and water. Cook in double boiler until dressing thickens. Stir frequently. Cool. Add whipped cream, chill and serve.

Lemon Pudding.
1 cup sugar
3 tablespoons lemon juice
3 tablespoons flour
1 tablespoon grated lemon rind
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 egg yolks
2 egg whites
1 cup milk
Blend sugar, flour, lemon juice and rind, salt, yolks and milk. Beat well. Fold in egg whites, beaten. Pour into glass baking dish. Set in pan of hot water, bake one hour in slow oven. Cool, serve plain or with whipped cream.
This pudding is cake-like on the top with a thick, creamy sauce underneath.

A Sunday Supper Menu
Jellied Salmon Salad Potato Chips
Olives Pickles
Buttered Biscuits Grape Jelly
Watermelon Coffee



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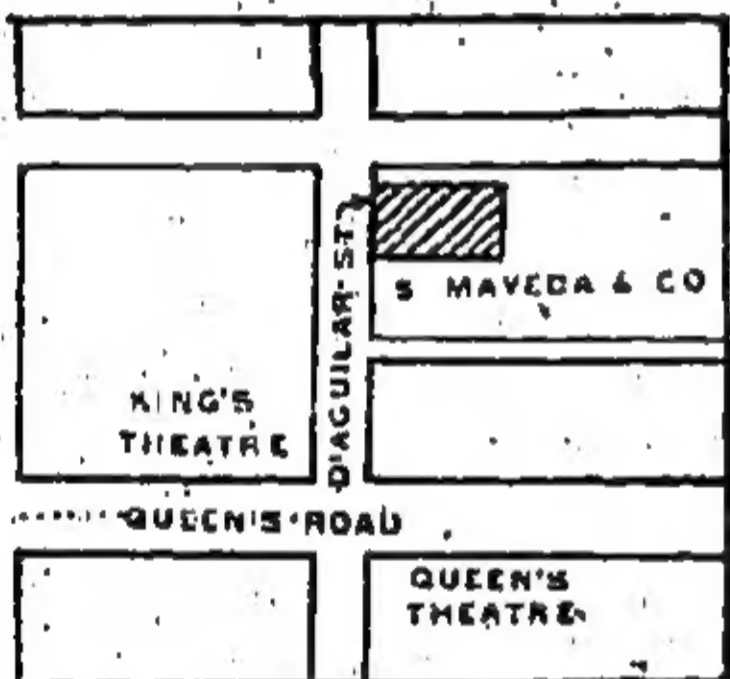
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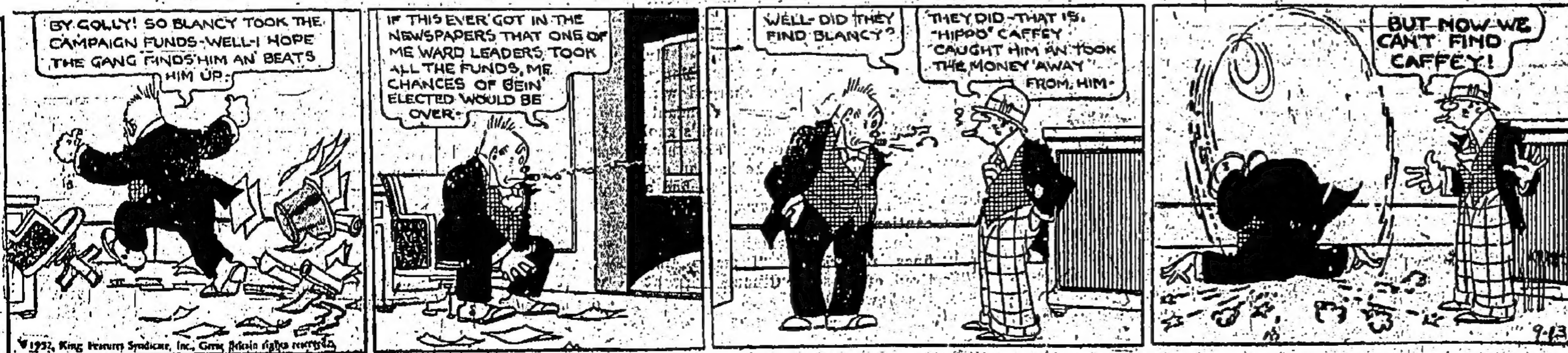
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ELECTRIC LER UNITS.

Companies Add Plant Power.

Montreal.
Large installations of electric power are being made in pulp and paper industries in the province of Quebec. This means producing steam for industrial purposes has been in use in the province for many years and it is now being indicated that some of the large capacity plants will absorb further large amounts of hydro-electric energy.
Statement in the Montreal Herald states that the installation of plates to installations on the river with power by the St. Lawrence Water and Power Company 55,000 horse power electric plant has just been put into full operation at the Wayagamack mill. Consolidated Paper Corporation, Limited, at Three Rivers. It will supply up to 120,000 pounds of steam per hour or nearly sufficient to operate the entire mill. On September 15, a 55,000 horse power electric boiler will be put into operation at the paper mill of Anglo Canadian Pulp and Paper Mills, Limited, at Rimouski, the city of Quebec. This will be the second unit of this size in the province. The two electric boilers will supply up to 240,000 pounds of steam per hour. When the second electric boiler comes into operation, the full requirements of steam will be supplied electrically.
Another electric boiler of 33,000 horse power capacity is being installed in the plant of the St. Lawrence Paper Mills Company, Limited, at Three Rivers, and will be put into operation about the first of November.
The article concludes that the above-mentioned additional units in the system of the Shawinigan Water and Power Company bring the total capacity of the electric plants installed up to 525,000 horse power.

British Display At Birmingham

Electrical Industry's "Big Show"

STARTS IN FEBRUARY

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

London, Yesterday.
The electricity group at the next British Industries Fair at Birmingham (Feb. 20 to March 3) will be the thoroughly representative of the electricity industry of Great Britain. It will, in fact, be in accordance with the phenomenal growth of the industry, and a large number of entirely new features in power plant and accessories will be shown for the first time. The display, which will be larger than ever, will tell, in the most practical way possible, the story of the progress and enterprise of British electrical engineering; it will demonstrate the very striking results of scientific research, and show how great has been the fertility of invention.
All the main features of the industry will be represented. There will be installed the newest examples of generators, motors and transformers; and of switchgear, cables and meters, and buyers will be able to examine and test the latest industrial and domestic examples for heating, cooking, lighting and power.
National Equipment.
A typical electric sub-station will be constructed and technicians will find much of interest in new equipment which has been successfully introduced into the National system in Great Britain for the linking up of the electricity under-takings.
The application of electricity in its latest aspects in mines, on ships, in agricultural pursuits and general industry will be demonstrated. Switchgear has been specially designed to suit the arduous

conditions of underground working, and in a wide range of such equipment there will be shown a combined flame-proof gate-end switch and transformer for providing low-voltage supplies of power. Remarkable progress has been made in the utilisation of electrical energy for water heating and steam raising, and new designs of the electrode and immersion types, which are invaluable for industrial use, will be shown. The electrode heaters incorporate ingenious methods of load control. A successful method of heating big well-ventilated buildings is by a combination of tubular heaters, radiators, and a low temperature radiant heating system, and each unit can be used separately and effectively.
Tropical Insulators.
For use in tropical countries, very effective new insulating products have been specially prepared. In metallurgical trades great advances have been made in electrical furnace practice. The advantages of the heat treatment of metals by electricity are generally recognised. There will be many notable exhibits, too, of electric low voltage welders are welders and spot welders. An entirely new product is a high tension switch fuse for overhead power lines with pulley gearing and a crank handle for operating it from the ground. Tumbler switches and screw lamp-holders have been designed to conform to overseas standards in electrical accessories.
Specialists will install the latest examples of search-lights, projecting and flood lighting equipment.

GOLD PRODUCTION RECORD.

Canadian Mines At Top Speed.

Ottawa.
Canada's gold production in June reached the new monthly output record of 270,526 ounces, according to the official statement of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics giving figures for June and for the first half of 1932. The cumulative total for the first six months of the current year was 1,500,820 ounces, an advance of 18.4 per cent. over the output during the corresponding period of 1931.
The rate at which Canada's gold output is advancing is seen in comparisons between the first halves of the last four years. These figures are: 1932, 1,500,820 ounces; 1931, 1,267,943 ounces; 1930, 978,717 ounces; 1929, 941,526 ounces. The acceleration in the last two years is very marked with production in the first half of 1932 showing an increase of over 53 per cent. compared with the similar period of 1930.

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Industry To Prove Its Expansion.

DEVELOPMENT OF DYES.

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The phenomenal progress of the British Dye industry during recent years has made it possible to give an absolute guarantee of fastness to sun light and fastness in the wash to such a range of colourings as will answer the most exacting requirements. Vat dyes are almost universal for the cheapest as well as the best materials.

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SEAPLANES ON THE SUDAN COAST.

Now the nefarious smuggler on the far-away Sudan coast is to find his activities hampered by the use of aircraft. A formation of three day bombers of the R.A.F. surveyed recently a number of anchorages suitable for flying boats or seaplanes in this territory and, in the course of that operation, sighted smugglers' dhows and reported their presence to British sloops engaged in patrol duty. The dhows were hidden in shallow channels behind reefs and were well screened from observation from the sea. Their crews were hard at work transferring their cargo to camel back.

Along our own coast-line the Coast Guard will soon be on the

CLOSING OF RAILWAY SHOPS.

Skilled Workmen Idle.

The Federation of Shipbuilding and Engineering Trade Unions at York yesterday considered the question of closing railway shops and shipbuilding yards in the North of England.

The policy of the railway companies in closing down some of their works, with the consequent dismissal and transference of workmen elsewhere, was reviewed, and it was decided to write to the companies asking that before any decisions were taken regarding redundant workshops representatives of the workmen should be consulted.

It was declared that several centres of shipbuilding, such as Stockton-on-Tees and Thornaby, had been destroyed, and that hundreds of skilled workmen were thus unable to follow their occupation. The conference demanded that urgent consideration should be given to the problem of reinstatement and the transference.

The conference unanimously resolved to approve the principle of a forty-hour week.

\$5,000,000 ARGENTINE RAILWAY WORK.

A \$5,000,000 programme of railway construction is to be started by the Argentine Government to reduce unemployment.

About 500 miles of new track are to be laid down in different parts of the country.

Congress is being asked to pass a Bill authorising the necessary expenditure.

watch from Maine to Florida, using its new equipment of water-tight flying boats to spot the operations of the runners of rum, aliens and other contraband, and to carry on more effectively than ever before its historic work of rescue and of succor to ships in distress.



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ROUND HONG KONG'S CINEMA THEATRES.

MAIL REVIEW

"BROTHER ALFRED"—QUEEN'S THEATRE.

Gene Gerrard, in the leading role, utilises a mole on his neck in order to prove his identity as his twin brother Alfred, in B.I.P.'s production "Brother Alfred", adapted from the story by P. G. Wodehouse and Herbert Westbrook, the current attraction at the Queen's Theatre.

The film, in which Molly Lamont is the heroine, is full of hilarious situations, and is further heightened when Ramond finds, he, as George, is to be decorated by a high born prince, and is unable to resume his own identity, owing to the fact that he cannot get rid of the mole on his neck. The heroine is agitated at the duplicity of her fiancé's "brother."

In the supporting cast, Henry Wenman, as an impetuous uncle, is on blackmail, provides further entanglements. Elsie Randolph, James Carew, Hal Gordon and Clifford Heatherley also appear in the film.

MAIL REVIEW

"ONE HEAVENLY NIGHT"—KING'S THEATRE.

An original play from the pen of Louis Bromfield, "One Heavenly Night" starring John Boles and Evelyn Laye, one of England's best loved actresses, is the current attraction at the King's Theatre.

George Fitzmaurice directed this production, the story of which tells of old world romance that begins in Budapest's gayest cabaret and then weaves its tempestuous excitement through the richest colour of Hungarian forest countryside. It is the romance of a pale little flower girl who became the bright and shining queen. The acting throughout is good.

John Boles is cast as Count Mirko, the fearless horseman and chivalrous lover. Leon Errol provides the film's full measure of laughter, while Lilyan Tashman appears more seductive than ever. Evelyn Laye was given a great ovation at her debut in the Ziegfeld Theatre in Noel Coward's "Bitter Sweet" last year.

SPORTS NOTICES.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE THIRTEENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at **HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY,** 5th November, 1932, commencing at 2 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

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Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed. No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

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PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price. Bookmakers, Tic Tac Men, &c., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

By Order,

S. A. SLEAP,

Actg. Secretary.

Hong Kong, 31st October, 1932.

MAIL REVIEW

"THE LOST SQUADRON"—CENTRAL THEATRE.

The self-sacrificing brotherhood of men, air thrills galore, and a glorious romance are combined in the RKO-Radio Pictures' "The Lost Squadron" now showing at the Central Theatre.

Richard Dix and a remarkable supporting cast appear in this dramatic air-thriller which is about the making of aviation movies in Hollywood.

Based on the stirring adventures of the film stunt aviators—men who risk their lives for the sake of injecting thrills in pictures—the film tells the story of these nerveless fliers and supply thrills in plenty.

Robert Armstrong, Joel McCrea, Mary Astor, Dorothy Jordan and Ralph Ince appear in the supporting cast.

MAIL REVIEW

"THE UNCONQUERED LOVER"—MAJESTIC THEATRE.

A Chinese talking and singing reduction "The Unconquered Lover" is now showing at the Majestic Theatre. It has an all-star cast and was produced by the Tse Mee Motion Picture Company of Canton.

The talking is in the Cantonese dialect.

OFFICIAL SOURCES.

"CARNIVAL"—CENTRAL THEATRE.

"Carnival," a super film and one of the most outstanding British picture of the year will be seen on November 6 at the Central Theatre. The main features of this unusual film are the melodramatic sequences which have been deftly woven with rhythmic music played by a fine band, into some of the most colorful and artistic scenes which have yet been seen.

Corageously mounted, beautifully acted and produced, it certainly deserves the praises showered upon it when at the Tivoli, London, where by the way, it broke box-office records.

The Venetian scenes, some in colour, are superlatively lovely, and Herbert Wilcox, the director, has brilliantly succeeded in imbuing the spirit of Carnival throughout the film. Matheson Lang has his original role, in which he is the magician, and Dorothy Beuchler proves a lovely and talented actress.

VOICE GUESSING COMPETITION.

Shanghai Resident Wins M.G.M.-Flit Prize.

MR. DENZIL EZRA.

This interesting voice-guessing competition recently sponsored by the Manufacturer of Flit and M-G-M Pictures Corporation at the Cathay Theatre, Shanghai and the Queen's Theatre, Hong Kong, and which drew large numbers of entries has finally been decided, the winner being Mr. Denzil Ezra of 761 Avenue Joffre, a well-known Shanghai resident.

Mr. Ezra had to face stiff competition from the other contestants but his entries were found to be 100 per cent. correct and his winning slogan, "The Audible Celluloid" clinched the first prize of M.\$500.

The judges were Messrs. Cal. S. Hirsch, of the North China Daily News, F. H. Hindle, of the Associated Advertisers, and A. J. Bell, Chartered Accountant of Messrs. Lowe, Bingham & Matthews, Shanghai.

The advertising in connection with this competition was handled by the China Commercial Advertising Agency, 2 Hong Kong Road, Shanghai.

(Continued from previous column). 12.30 p.m.—European Programme of Victor & H. M.V. Records.

1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-Day Press News Etc.

10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-Day Press News.

11.30 p.m.—(Approx.) Close Down.

(All records in the above European Programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie & Co., Ltd.)

RADIO TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 K.C.'s):—

2 p.m.—Close Down.

5-8 p.m.—European Programme.

5-6 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra (by courtesy of the Management).

6-6.30 p.m.—A Concert.

Orchestral—

A Day in Venice (Nevin)

Victor-Sidon Group 9478.

Piano Solo—

Staccato Etude (Rubenstein)

Piano Solo—

La Campanella (Paganini-Liszt)

Mitscha Levitzki D1489.

Song—

Trees (Kilmer-Rasbach)

Song—

By The Waters of Minnetonka (Lieurance)

Ernestine Schumann-Heink 1193.

Violin Solo—

(a) La Caneion Del Olvido. (Persinger)

(b) Rondo (Spohr & Persinger)

(c) Chant D'Espagne (Samarzilha)

Master Yehudi Menuhin 7317.

7 p.m.—Stock & Exchange Quotations.

6.30-7.30 p.m.—Variety.

Selections—

Lido Lady

Savoy Orpheans C1310.

Vocal Gems—

C. B. Cochran's 1930 Revue

Light Opera Company C1920.

Selections—

No No Nanette

Selections—

Show of Shows

New Mayfair Orchestra C1887.

Organ Solo—

A Musical Trip Round The British Isles Reginald Foort C2077.

Orchestral—

Nautical Moments The London Palladium Orchestra C1851.

Songs—

(a) The Future Mrs. 'Awkins

(b) Knocked 'em In The Old Kent Road

(c) Our Little Nipper

(d) A Fallen Star

(e) My Old Dutch C1922.

Selection—

Happy Days

Selection—

Puttin' On the Ritz New Mayfair Orchestra.

7.30-8 p.m.—From The Studio.

A Violin Recital by Mr. Benito Lopez, Philippine Violinist, President of the Iloilo Musical Association, accompanied by Miss Luba Pecker.

Programme.

1. Concerto in E. Minor—1st Movt. (Nardini)

2. (a) Orientale (Cesar Cui)

(b) Alt Wein (Godowsky)

3. Concerto in E. Minor—2nd Movt. (Mendelssohn)

4. (a) Have Pity Sweet Eyes (Tenaglia)

(b) Caprice Viennois (Kreisler)

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

8.3-11.30 p.m.—Relay from the Kowloon Theatre.

(Continued at foot of preceding Column).

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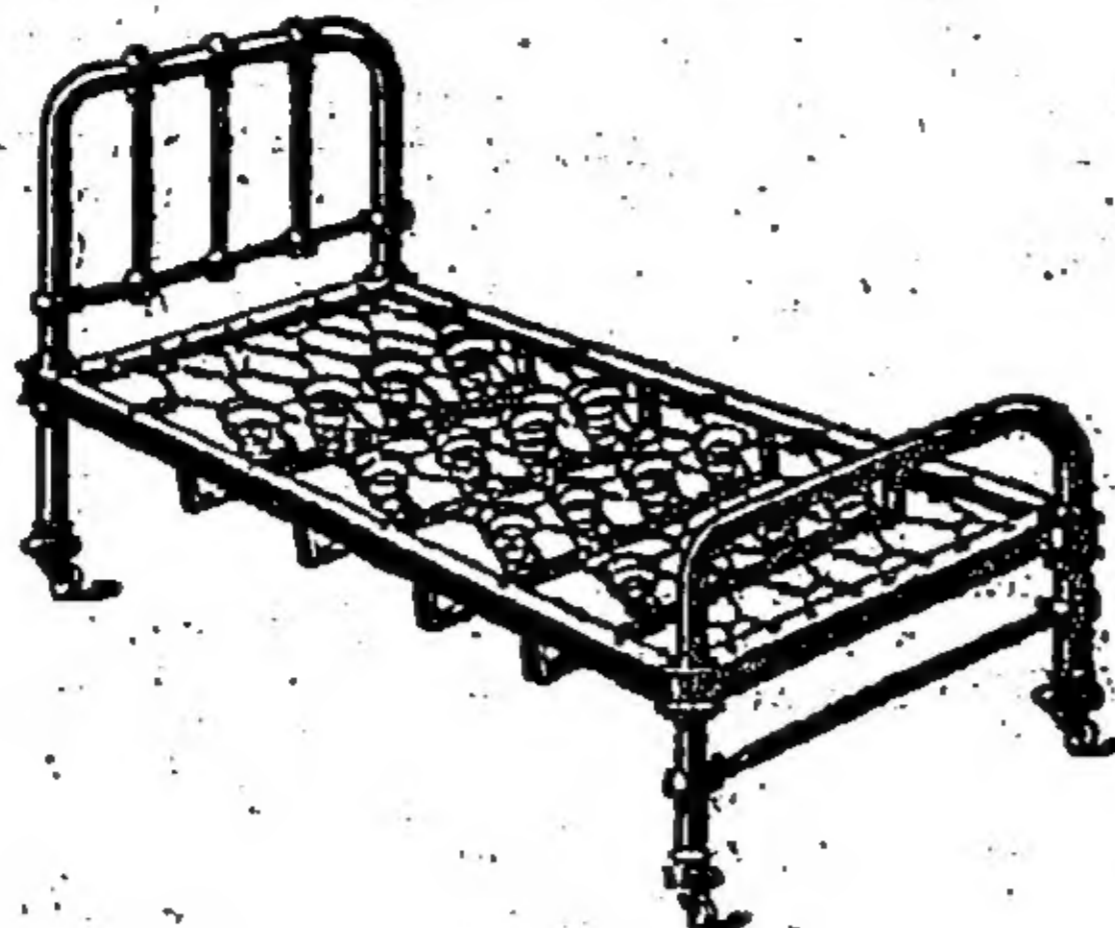
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Flood Relief In China.

A year ago the state of a great part of the flooded Yangtze Valley appeared desperate. The dikes had been breached; a vast area of cultivation had vanished beneath the waters; fully 25,000,000 destitute and homeless people were threatened with famine. Faced by an unprecedented calamity the Chinese Central Government for the first time in history accepted responsibility for relief and immediately formed a National Flood Relief Commission. Sir John Hope Simpson, who was appointed Director-General of the Commission on the recommendation of the League of Nations, describes the Commission's achievements and difficulties. Its task was one which might have daunted the boldest, and was particularly formidable at a time when the Chinese Republic, already struggling with widespread internal disorders, had become involved in a serious and costly dispute with Japan. Thousands of miles of dikes had to be rapidly repaired if this year's summer floods were not to complete the ruin wrought by the floods of 1931. Millions of peasant refugees had to be fed, sheltered, and employed. The Government's political and financial difficulties compelled the Commission to work, always against time, with inadequate funds. But, though the original relief programme had to be curtailed, its main objects were achieved; and the subscribers to the funds of the Relief Committee which was set up in this country, and indeed all whose private charity assisted China in her distress, will be glad to know that the Commission made the best possible use of the sums subscribed for relief. The all-important main dikes have been repaired by refugee labour and have stood the test of this year's heavy floods. More than six million persons, at the most moderate computation, have received relief from the Commission; and many, indeed most, of them would otherwise have perished or would have been driven to support themselves by brigandage. Apart from the normal difficulties which the Flood Relief Commission encountered, its members and employees in the flooded areas were often in danger of Communist attack. It is disquieting to learn from Sir John Hope Simpson that at least 150 miles of the northern bank of the Yangtze above Hankow are in Communist hands, that another Communist Government rules part of Honan Province, and that the armies of these States seem able to hold their own against the troops of the provincial Governments and such forces as the Government of Nanking can spare. It was to be expected that the Communists would do their utmost to black-mail and intimidate those were attempting to alleviate the distress which supplies them with recruits, but the cynicism with which the Honan Soviet wrecked 120 miles of dike on the Hwai River and robbed the local headquarters of the Commission should have opened the eyes of their dupes. Here the Communists were driven away in the end, but beyond Hankow they were so strong that the Commission had to conclude a Convention with them before its engineers could repair the dikes in their territory. Characteristically enough the Convention did not prevent them from imprisoning thirty of these engineers and denying the relief ships carrying grain up the river, but it speaks well for the spirit of the Chinese employees of the Commission that they faced perils without flinching. To the general resourcefulness and ability of the Chinese technical staff and to their extraordinary courage Sir John Hope Simpson pays a high tribute. Indeed his account of their work and his explanation of the prevalence of Communism and banditry in the Yangtze Valley give the impression that the Chinese people deserve better leadership than their Revolution has given them.

BOMB THROWN AT EX-EMPEROR.

Peking, Oct. 27.

Panich reign over Changchun, the capital of the puppet Manchukuo government, yesterday when a bomb was thrown at the residence of Mr. Henry Pu Yi, the puppet Chief Executive. The gate-keeper was injured. Kuo Min.

HERE, THERE EVERYWHERE.

Napoleon Book for Sale.

One of three known copies of a book by Napoleon, of which only ten were originally printed, is to be offered for sale in Prague.

It comes from the library of Count Guido Thun-Hohenstein, whose bankruptcy necessitates the sale of his 40,000 volumes.

The rare Napoleonic item was written after the return from Egypt, and contains his commentaries on the whole campaign.

The other two known copies reside, one in the King's library in Buckingham Palace and the other in the Louvre.

It will be informative to see what price the third will fetch in a world where rare book prices have fallen so heavily.

"La Language."

French purists have, for some time now, been complaining bitterly about what they call the affectation of sprinkling their language with English words.

Every tourist must be accustomed to "le tennis," "les girls," and "le knock-out." And I have more than once encountered "le Boy-scoutism."

To the unspeakable horror of the purists a new word has crept into the "Journal Officiel," which corresponds to the "London Gazette." The "Merite Agricole" has been awarded to "le stud-groom."

Even the most Anglophile of Frenchmen are complaining of this last straw.

Your Daily Smile.

HARI HARI HARI!

A new hat is called "Round the Marble Arch." Of course it will have a military band.

Nightmare of a Fat Man.

Being lowered down a cliff at the end of a long rope and then told to Yo-Yo to the top.

TUT! TUT!

A famous politician declares that stupidity is hereditary. That's a nice way to talk about his parents.

HOW DARED IT!

It is reported that Signor Mussolini had to return from a seaside holiday because the air disagreed with him.

Another Joke About Plumbers.

Police are trying to trace the identity of a man found suffering from loss of memory at Brighton. Maybe he is merely a plumber on a job.

Facts You Did Not Know.

The manufacture of steel office furniture has been begun in South Africa.

Blades of a new electric fan are so shaped that the affair is noiseless.

So nearly fireproof is a new form of celluloid that its use for fire retarding windows in the petroleum industry has been approved.

British lamp manufacturers have constructed a portable model of a city street to demonstrate the effect and appearance of their wares.

Made of aluminum and weighing only 37 pounds, a wheelbarrow has been developed that has the capacity and strength of standard steel ones.

News in Brief.

One case of diphtheria was notified to the Health authorities during the week-end.

Quarantine restrictions imposed by Formosa and Indo-China against arrivals from Hong Kong on account of Cholera have been removed.

In order to extend the interests of the Association, the S.C.A.A. is organising a dramatic society, which will train members in Chinese dramatic work and singing.

Mr. Yau Shu-sam has been appointed Commissioner of Public Safety in Fukuken by General Chiang Kwong-nel. It will be his duty to maintain order after the reorganisation of the Government is completed.

Behind The Scenes In America To-day

President Herbert Hoover
Immensely Relieved

ROOSEVELT IS WELL

Mr. Herbert Hoover, harassed and fighting hard for Presidential re-election, is immensely relieved.

The whole country has expressed its approval of the manner in which he dealt with the Bonus Army riot, and the Press unanimously agree that his hand was forced and no other course of action was open to him.

When he turned troops, tanks and gas loose on the Bonus Army marchers to drive them from Washington he electrified the nation, and for some time the White House awaited the country's verdict with great trepidation, as national opinion was all-important in the election.

He acted decisively and vigorously, but there are a few "on the inside" who say that he showed a lack of political acumen in allowing the issue to be put to him.

When the message from the Washington local government announcing that the situation was out of hand was allowed to reach the President he had to act. His advisers should never have let the message reach him, but have switched it to the army authorities and thereby saved him much embarrassment.

The consensus of opinion, however, is that his chances in the election have not been harmed.

It may seem callous that such tragic events as took place in Washington should be viewed in the cold light of its political effects, but this is "Presidential election year," and everything must be considered year, and everything must be considered and weighed in relation to the campaign.

Mr. Borah Is Surprised.

Nobody is more surprised over Europe's reaction to Senator Borah's speech favouring immediate reconsideration of War Debts than Mr. Borah himself.

He feels, however, that Europe has forgotten in its enthusiasm the other half of the proposition, and a very important half it is. Everybody in Europe seems to favour reconsideration of Debt settlements, but they have entirely neglected the issue of armaments reduction which Senator Borah definitely linked with his proposal.

The Senator from Idaho is an idealist, but he is also a practical politician. Nobody understands better than Mr. Borah the fanatical opposition to Debt reduction which prevails in the West and Middle West States.

Without a reduction in military expenditure as partial compensation for any revision of the existing Debt agreements, three-quarters of the people of the United States will not tolerate revision, and Senator Borah fully appreciates that fact.

William E. Borah, a skillful and astute politician, is one of the few men who would even have dared to suggest Debt revision, but he invariably gets a good Press. He is the only Senator who maintains daily Press conferences, with the Washington correspondents, meetings which are frequently as well attended as similar ones given by President Hoover.

It is no unusual thing for Mr. Borah to hold his conference immediately after the President's talk to the newspapermen and then to "tape the play" away from the President.

For twenty years Borah has been the "Bad Boy" of the Republican Party. He always does what he always "gets away with." His influence on independent American voters is tremendous.

Wanted: A Rich Ambassador.

You may take it from me most definitely that Mr. Andrew Mellon will return to London in the first week in September and will remain Ambassador to Britain until March.

unless family illness causes a change in his plans. Regardless of the outcome of the Presidential election, Mr. Mellon, I am confidentially advised, does not intend to remain at his post after March.

He may spend part of the winter on the Riviera unless his private affairs force him to return to the United States earlier than he intends.

Increasing ill-health of his brother, Mr. James Mellon, in Pittsburgh, also a banker, is causing him considerable worry. The two brothers have always been close to each other both in private and business affairs.

It is going to be very difficult to select his successor, no matter who wins the election. It will not be easy to find a man for the Court of St. James of the calibre of General Dawes and Andrew Mellon.

Relations between Great Britain and the United States are becoming increasingly complicated. The attitude of the American people to Britain has never been more friendly than at the present time, and Washington will want to appoint a man of outstanding ability, a negotiator and dominant personality.

There is another factor which plays a part, and that is the cost of the upkeep of the Embassy in London.

The list of wealthy Americans with ability and sufficient interest in public life to accept the responsibility of the London post is growing alarmingly small in recent years.

In the next five years few American business leaders will do "take time off" for a diplomat's interlude.

Mr. Roosevelt Is Quite Well.

Governor Franklin Roosevelt's friends are very angry at the "whispering campaign" about the Democratic Presidential candidate's health. Hoping to convince the voters that he is physically unfit to assume the arduous duties of the Presidency, Roosevelt's political enemies are circulating stories that he is a sick man.

As a matter of fact, Mr. Roosevelt's legs, crippled by infantile paralysis contracted a few years ago, are rapidly gaining strength. The tall, bulky, 14-stone Governor of New York has been sailing and swimming lately, showing great improvement in his condition. He is still unable to walk without the aid of a stick and his iron leg braces, but he can stand erect a long time and make a speech. He hopes that eventually steady exercise will restore his limbs to normal power.

Getting "Wetter."

Opponents of Prohibition are greatly cheered by the results of the various State primary elections. Texas, for instance, "Bone Dry" Texas, has astonished the country by going "wet," while other parts of the fanatically "dry" South are changing their views.

After the Presidential election the whole country will be thrown into a life-and-death struggle between the "wets" and "drys," and the former are confident that they will be able to undo the evil caused by a measure produced by the hysteria of the war.

You in Britain should try and grasp the nature of the almost impossible task it will be to repeal completely the famous Eighteenth Amendment.

Under the American political system, Congress—the House of Representatives and the Senate—must vote that the Amendment be resubmitted by a majority of two-thirds. Thirty-three Senators out of a total of 531 legislators could block it. Even if passed, the President must approve or Congress override his veto. That is only a tiny beginning. Any measure of modification must be ratified separately by three-quarters of the 48 States in the Union. Thirteen States could keep the country "dry" for ever, and these same thirteen might have only 5 per cent. of the nation's population.

The Anti-Saloon League did its work well when it got Prohibition fixed into the Constitution. Even Standard.

Colony's Cabarets Lose Patrons

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QUIET AND RESTFUL

I have just tried once again, after a lapse of many moons, our local cabarets. In a purely business way. Purely for copy, you understand. The whole job depended entirely on the social atmosphere of the places. If it was congenial the job would be long-drawn-out, requiring infinite tact and patience, for I wanted the real "slant" on these stamping grounds of the very wealthy and the very simple. If it should so happen that several old acquaintances of mine still frequented the places, I felt that I might be detained indefinitely.

On the other hand if I found it was dull and tedious, the business would probably collapse altogether, and enable me to get back to the office before the stamp box had been examined. As it happened I did not stay long, for something seems to have happened to these gay spots. Where dancing girls, or rather social girls, are concerned, the bottom appears to have dropped out of the market.

Once upon a time entering these small editions of Babylon was like falling into the arms of a friend who was celebrating his birthday on a stupendous scale: lights blazing around throngs of gay people bidding dull care begone. You were simply swallowed up in the revels, and emerged later feeling as though you had stepped on a high tension wire and been electrocuted by a new and delightful process.

It's not the same now. Have you ever gone to a party on the wrong night? Well, it was like that. I hung out the banner on the outer wall, so to speak, and struck the high chords but I could not move the obstinate depression. I got the bird every time. The appearance of the place when I made my smiling debut was enough to warn me. The cosmopolitan crowds that

lined the rooms were gone, even the brokers had left us. Yes, those that used to sit there and talk money all night. "Yeh, I bought Consolidated Raspberries at \$50 and sold them back at the same sucker two days later at \$75. Then they dropped to 75 cents and he shot himself and his entire family. Boy, did I celebrate?" You don't hear that sort of thing any more now.

I need hardly tell you that this deflation of Hong Kong gaiety after dark came as a terrible blow. I was wearing my new Bohemian hat and pink shirt and had trained my side-whiskers lower, so as to leave no doubt in the minds of the revelers that I was a devil like themselves and not a delegate of the International Split-Skirt Suppression-League.

And it was all wasted! No gay throng, no revels and blazing lights, just a sprinkling of mourners. A momentary stir of excitement passed over them when they saw me, as if they thought I might be the vanguard of the good old days returning. I drank a glass of orange juice for the good of the house, and accepting the wrong change from the "boy," tip-toed sadly away.

That was almost the end, but I managed to stagger to another place a little further down town. Having outwitted about seven "boys" with a nice flanking movement, I managed to secure a reasonably good seat near the platform where the orchestra was playing their last dirge of the night. An orange juice (aerated) set me back \$1, and I felt that the least I could leave under the plate was my gold watch. This being done, I slunk away very dispiritedly, wondering the while what the lads would do if our only source of revelry was the cabarets.

—J. E. W.

TRESPASSER ON NAVAL SHIPS.

Touring The Harbour.

An unemployed Chinese who travelled to Stonecutter's Island on an Army launch, returned to the Navy Yard aboard a Naval launch and on entering the dockyard wandered from ship to ship. He was finally arrested on board H.M.S. Witch, lying in dock.

The defendant was brought before Mr. Schofield in the Central Police Court this morning, charged with trespassing.

Sergeant Fuller, of the Dockyard Police, informed his Worship that the defendant went on to a tugboat, and from there to H.M.S. Wild Swan and then on board H.M.S. Witch.

The defendant admitted two previous convictions.

Inspector McClelland remarked that there had been many reports of thefts from ships in the dockyard during the past few months. Sentence of six weeks' hard labour was imposed.

BAG SNATCHER GETS BIRCH.

Mrs. Chan Shu-ming was the victim of a bag-snatching incident which occurred in Des Voeux Road near the Sincere Company last night. She was about to open the door of a car when her bag was snatched from her arm, the strap breaking. Department was caught by District Watchman 29 near the Yamnati Ferry Wharf.

The defendant was charged before Mr. G. S. Kennedy-Skipston in the Central Police Court this morning, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to six months' hard labour with 12 strokes of the birch.

DOLLAR DROPS SLIGHTLY.

The value of the local dollar has declined 1/2 and is quoted at 1/4 1/2 this morning.

Silver prices, however, remained steady, spot being quoted at 18 1/2 and forward at 18 1/2.

The London or New York cross rate showed no change, being given at 2-6 3/4 28 1/2 this morning, and the New York on London rate at 2-6 3/4 28 1/2, a rise of 1/4.

AN OLD RESIDENT PASSES AWAY.

Mr. John Osborne Here A Half Century.

LEAVES FOUR SONS.

Mr. John Osborne, an old resident of the Colony, passed away at the Government Civil Hospital on Sunday afternoon, at the ripe age of 74 years.

The deceased, who had resided in the Colony for approximately a half-century, came here with the Royal West Kent Regiment (the "Buffs") which he left to join the Royal Naval Yard Police. He joined the Peak Tramway Company and continued in their service until his retirement.

The deceased is survived by four children—Messrs. J. J. Osborne (who was Assistant Superintendent of the Money Order Department at the General Post Office until his retirement a few years ago), A. R. Osborne, employed in the Time Office at the Tai Kok Dockyard, and Mr. P. W. Osborne, of the Hong Kong and China Gas Company, and Mrs. Aslett, the widow of the late Sanitary Inspector Aslett, who died at Home last year.

The funeral took place at the Protestant Cemetery yesterday afternoon, attended by relatives and friends. The Rev. N. V. Hayward officiated at the interment.

Many wreaths were sent.

YOUTH KILLED IN LORRY ACCIDENT.

Vehicle Crashes Into Timber Stack.

A fatal motor accident occurred in the Mongkok district yesterday afternoon.

Hoi Yau reported to the Police, he was driving a motor lorry along Mongkok Road, when he collided with another lorry.

The impact caused his lorry to run into a stack of timber, knocking down a male, Lai Lin, 64, who died shortly after admission to hospital.

JAPANESE SAILORS BROUGHT HERE.

(Continued from Page 1.)

On Sunday her fuel was gone and she drifted utterly helpless. She was low in the water, too, and the waves were pounding her remorselessly. It was only a matter of time until she would founder. Her crew watched for the smudge of smoke that would tell of rescue at hand.

Finally they saw the Glenishiel. In their eagerness they fired rocket after rocket. Even when the sturdy British stamer was ploughing down upon them, the green seas creaming under her bows, falling on her decks sometimes, the Japanese sailors shouted hoarsely at her, waved and gesticulated. For three days and three nights they had been without rest and in constant danger of quick death.

Dangerous Work.

The Glenishiel came alongside, carefully, slowly, dropping ladders down to the decks of the water-logged trawler. The Japanese seamen clutched the ladders, held them fast and one by one they climbed, slowly and clumsily, for their hands were smashed and stiffened from their fight with the typhoon.

It would have been difficult to climb that swaying ladder at the best of times but the sweeping seas made it the more hazardous. Again and again the waves lifted the trawler and flung her with terrific force against the hull of the Glenishiel. It seemed that the small figures on the rope ladders would be carried away or crushed. But they hauled themselves to safety.

Last To Leave.

The last man to come up the Glenishiel's side was the trawler's skipper. But before he left his craft officers and passengers of the Glenishiel watched him make a careful inspection of his battered ship. He looked into every possible place where a man might be hidden and at last leaping himself into the ropes and up the swaying side of the bigger vessel.

Once on the Glenishiel's deck he lined his men up and counted them. The seamen were given the best the rescuers could provide for them and their grim skipper. They slept until they landed in Hong Kong last night. To-day they are in the care of a Japanese Consul.

The names of the officers who took part in the rescue work are: Capt. P. L. Sanders, Mr. W. Denne, Chief Officer, Mr. C. Brewer, Second Officer, and Mr. F. Marriott, Third Officer.

OVERHEARD

(The Romance Of A London Waitress)

By STACY AUMONIER.

It was nearly two o'clock. The tea-shop was at its busiest. Clerks, salesmen, typist, shoppers from the suburbs jostled against each other in the scramble for buns, tea, sausages, fried fish, ham or coffee. Everyone seemed hungry and hurried. The atmosphere reeked with the varied odours of cooked food. Some were eating greedily, others calling impatiently for their bills or grumbling at the slowness of the service, or about a draught which came from undiscoverable places.

The slim girl who served some thirty odd customers in the annex moved hither and thither with an overlaid tray, which she had to carry twenty yards backwards and forwards to the serving hatch. Her movements were languid and listless, but her memory seemed surprising.

She would take seven or eight orders of such varied nature as "large coffee, Cambridge sausages, roll and butter, and plum jam," to "porched eggs on toast and a small tea," and she remembered them all correctly and brought the refreshment to the right persons.

She was of indeterminate age, somewhere round about the thirties, with fair pretty hair, and a face that at one time might have been almost beautiful.

"Hurry up with my scrambled eggs on toast, Miss, I am going to a matinee."

"Yes, madam."

She was studiously polite to everyone, polite but inert. She seemed to be performing her duties as though mesmerised.

Gradually the crowd began to thin. The clerks and typists had to be back at their offices, the lady had gone to her matinee, the salesman to their clients. As they poured out, queueing up at the pay-desk, a few late comers straggled in. Among the latter came a young man of somewhat florid appearance. He was wearing a well-cut blue serge suit, with a yellow woolen waistcoat, and a felt hat. He had a red, rather coarse face, a little clipped moustache, and splendid teeth which flashed as he grinned. And he grinned a good deal, as a man well-satisfied with himself and life in general. He found a seat in the corner of the annex and sat down. The slim waitress came along with her nervously laden tray. She glanced round and her eye alighted on the young man. Her face betrayed no recognition, but she put her tray down on the marble slab of an adjoining table with an abrupt bump. She said, "Sorry!" and as she handed plates and cups round she mumbled:

"Fried plaice, sir? Thank you, sir, Coffee, madam? Thank you, madam. Two hard-boiled eggs, sir. Thank you, sir, and so on till the table was served. Then she passed on to the table where the young man sat. She still carried her tray, for there were two people there waiting to be served. She put down her tray again and said:

"Tea, roll and butter, mad. Thank you, madam. Cold roast beef, sir. Thank you, sir."

She turned and went to the next table.

"What were you doing? Spending the evening with Lily?"

"No, I swear I wasn't."

"What then?"

"I had to go and see my uncle."

"Miss Harrison, there's a customer over there asking for stewed prunes and rice." It was a tall angular manageress, in a black frock, speaking.

"Coming, Madam."

The mission in search of stewed prunes and rice occupied some time. And further time was wasted by a customer who said that his bill was wrong. It was quite true. She had charged 8/6, instead of 7/6, for sardines, on toast. The man with the newspaper disappeared. There was no one else at the young man's table. Once against she leant over the crest.

"You don't love her, do you, Harry?"

The young man laughed self-consciously.

"Lord, no. I wanted to tell you, Florrie, I've had a bit of luck. My Uncle's coming to the rescue."

"How do you mean?"

"He's paying off that debt. And he's going to pay my fare to Canada."

She caught her breath, and scraped crumbs into a little pile with the end of a knife. "Canada? But you—"

"I'm going to start all over again."

"But don't you want me to go to Canada with you?"

"You? How could you?"

The young man looked at her and grinned, but she did not look at him. Her lips were tight and drawn, and pale. A woman at the table exclaimed:

"Are my kidneys never coming?"

The young man said: "Well, Florrie?"

Without looking at him she said: "What do you want to eat?" To the lady she said: "Your kidneys will be ready in two minutes, madam."

The young man, a little sheepish at his reception, said quietly:

"Oh, well, I'll have some cold tongue and coffee."

"Large or small?"

"Large."

She moved away with her tray, collecting orders as she went, whilst the young man picked his splendid teeth with a tram ticket. After an interval she returned. The weary lines of her face seemed to be concealing the fires of tremulous emotion. She placed the kidneys in front of the lady, and the coffee and tongue in front of the young man. Quite mechanically she repeated:

"Large coffee and tongue, sir? Thank you, sir."

She took three more orders and again vanished.

The young man devoured his tongue and coffee in silence. The grin on his face became sardonic. It was as though he were saying to himself: "Oh, well, I don't care." More people went out and fewer came in. The time was rapidly approaching that sparse half-hour or so that is too late for lunch and too early for tea. The lady finished her kidneys, powdered her nose and departed. The slim waitress was less occupied. She drifted up and down, her tense, pale face expressing nothing. There was only one other person at the young man's table, a man at the further

TO-MORROW'S STORY.

To-morrow's short story will be "The God Of His Fathers" by the popular novelist Jack London.

end reading an evening newspaper. At last she came to him. Bending over a cruet, which she pretended to be adjusting. She whispered hoarsely:

"Oh, why didn't you come last night?"

The uneasy grin flittered across the young man's face. He answered in the same key:

"I couldn't. I couldn't get away."

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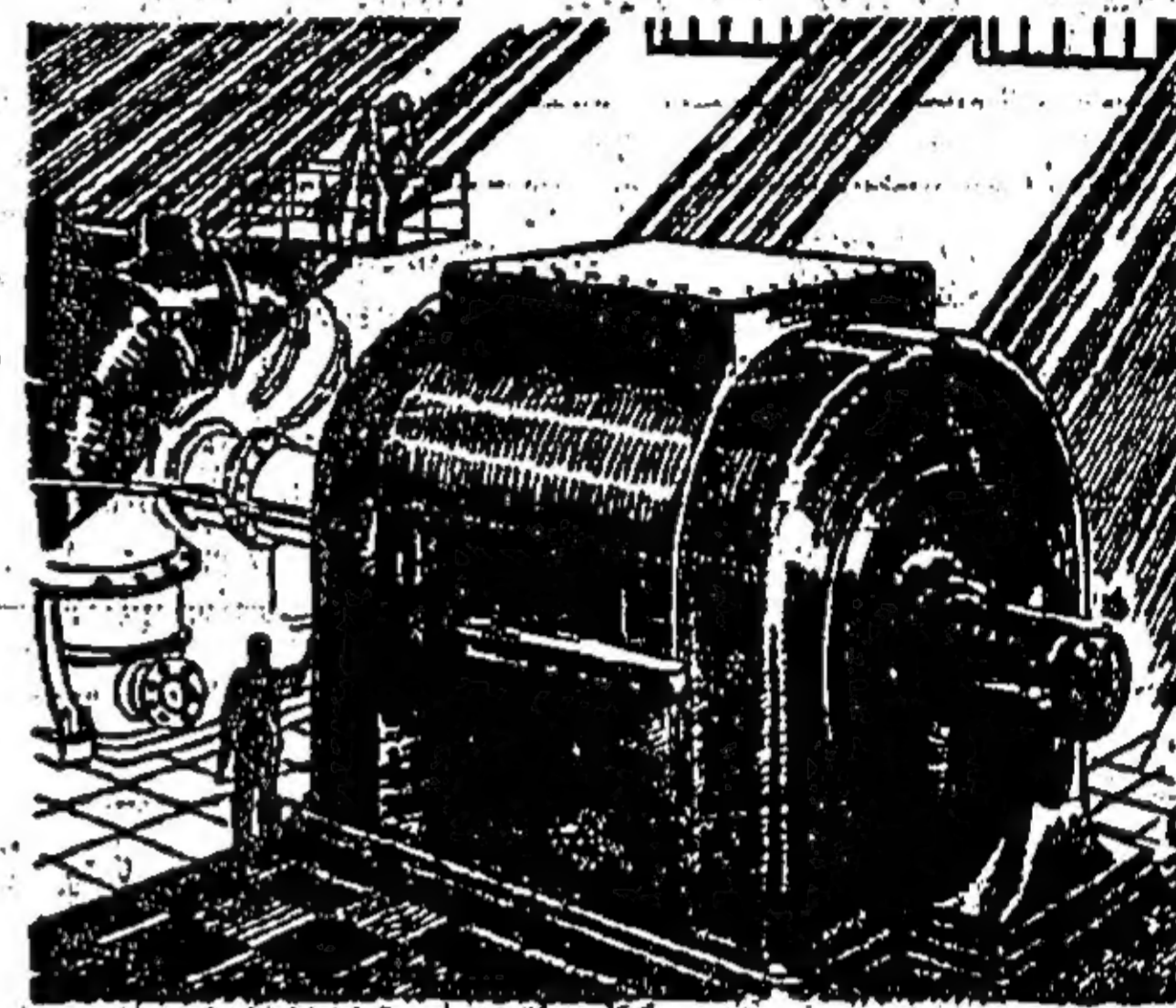
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JACKIE BROWN REACHES GOAL

WORLD TITLE FOR BRITISH FLYWEIGHT

Jackie Brown Wins On Technical K.O.

YOUNG PEREZ POUNDED ROUND RING IN EPIC BATTLE.

Unlucky Thirteenth.

Jackie Brown, the British and European flyweight champion, yesterday won the world title at Belle Vue, Manchester, when he technically knocked out Young Perez, the holder, in the thirteenth round of a fifteen round bout. Perez's seconds threw in the towel.

Brown is the first Englishman to bring the world's title to England since Jimmy Wilde lost his title to the late Pancho Villa, the Filipino slug.

It was a fierce fight throughout, both men going in at one another with tiger-like ferocity, each landing telling blows but neither being able to produce the knock out punch.

In the thirteenth round Perez was literally punched round the ring with rights and lefts to the face. Brown crashed home with both hands, and blows to the jaw sent the Frenchman staggering round the ring.

The holder was sent to the canvas for a count of four, but got up only to see through dizzy eyes that his seconds had thrown in the towel, thus enabling Britain to recapture Wilde's title.—Reuter.

The bout between the British champion and Young Perez was the first flyweight championship fight to be staged in Great Britain since the days of Jimmy Wilde. The holder, though he lost his title, was £1,000 the richer after he had been carried back to his dressing room.

Perez is a two-fisted puncher, but one who doesn't like the going too heavy. Brown is the better boxer, being much faster and possessing more stamina.

SENSATIONAL DEFEAT.

The fight was made all the more interesting by the fact that Young Perez was sensationally knocked out only a month ago by Mickey McGuire, an almost unknown Newcastle boxer. That was in the second round of a fifteen round contest. Perez was cautioned for hitting low in the first round.

The second round opened in sensational fashion. McGuire rushed across to meet his opponent and, after sparring for a second or two, landed a left swing to the jaw which knocked Perez across the bottom rope. The champion made several attempts to get on his feet, but before he succeeded he was counted out. Both men weighed in at 8 st. 2 lbs.

H.K.C.C. TEAMS FOR SATURDAY.

The following teams will represent the Hong Kong Cricket Club in their matches on Saturday:—

1st XI. v United Services at H.K.C.C.

A. W. Hayward (Captain); E. J. R. Mitchell, A. C. Beck; G. S. Dunkley, E. R. Duckitt, H. R. B. Hancock; H. J. D. Lowe, K. A. Munro, L. T. Ride, C. B. R. Sargent and J. P. Whitham.

2nd XI. v Club de Recreo at King's Park.

A. K. Mackenzie (Captain); G. E. R. Divett, L. A. R. Duncan; R. R. Davies, L. D. Kilbee, A. D. Lowson; R. S. W. Patterson, P. W. J. Planner, J. E. Potter, R. H. D. Wade and L. A. Whipp.

MRS. KIRK QUALIFIES AT VALLEY.

Mrs. P. W. Kirk qualified for the Captain's Cup in October in the Ladies' section of the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club at Happy Valley with a score of 108-36=74.

The Annual General Meeting of the Ladies' Section will be held at the Helela May Institute on Thursday, 10th inst. at 11 a.m.

SHANGHAI BADMINTON TEAM TO VISIT TIENTSIN.

Third Attempt Lucky?

Shanghai, Oct. 27. Shanghai will send a badminton team to Tientsin at China New Year. Twice previously, Shanghai have been prepared to go up to Tientsin but unfortunately last minute difficulties arose and the trips did not materialize.

ARSENAL DEFEATS PARIS CLUB.

Total 14 Goals Against 4 In Two Games.

Paris, To-day. The Arsenal, pride of the English soccer league, visited Paris yesterday, and beat the Racing Club de Paris by 5 goals to 2 in a fast game. The London side play a series of friendly games during the week in which they introduce promising youngsters who are looking for the opportunity to get match practice. Only four days ago the Arsenal defeated the Corinthians, the most famous amateur club in the British Isles by 9 goals to 2.—Reuter.

KOWLOON GO DOWN TO SUFFOLK.

Cogan's Penalty Goal.

Scoring two tries, both of which were unconverted, the H.M.S. Suffolk defeated the Kowloon Rugby Club yesterday evening, by 6 points to 3, Kowloon's score coming from a penalty kick taken by Dr. J. E. H. Cogan.

The game was of a scrappy nature, Gosling, Lockley and Priddle being outstanding in the naval team, while Budd and Gosling were responsible for the tries, Priddle failing with the kicks.

SERVICES CRICKET XI.

The following have been selected to represent the Combined Services in a cricket match against the Hong Kong Cricket Club on Saturday on the Hong Kong C.C. ground:

Capt. Burnett (captain), Lieut. Com. Southern, Lieut. Hamilton, Lieut. Garthwaite, Sub-Lieut. Eaden, Lieut. Mussen, E. R. A. Holland, Lieut. Stocker, Sub-Lieut. Carver, Lieut. Marsham, and Lieut. Anstruther. Reserve: Mid. Jenner-Fust.

C.S.C.C. LEAGUE TEAM.

The following will represent the Civil Services Cricket Club in their League match against the Indian Recreation Club at Happy Valley on Saturday:—

G. R. Sayer (captain), J. E. Richardson, F. J. de Rome, B. C. K. Hawkins, R. A. J. Simpson, H. G. Wallington, F. Baker, E. W. Hamilton, E. B. Reed, H. E. Strange, and R. M. Wood.

LINCOLN BOXERS WIN.

At Shamshuppo last night the Lincolns narrowly defeated the Argyls by 5 bouts to 4 in a farewell boxing contest. The winners were best served by their walters who won all their three fights.

ALL-INDIA DRAW

Bombay Customs Achieve Unexpected.

325 GOALS AGAINST 31.

Bombay, Oct. 13. This Indian Olympic Hockey Team had to be content to-day with a goal-less draw when they met the Bombay Customs XI, who are the holders of the Aga Khan's Cup.

This was the first occasion in the course of their tour that the Olympic Champions failed to win a match or score a goal. Their tally of goals is now 325 against 31. Dhyani Chaud has scored 119 goals in the 33 matches.

The record number of goals in a match is the 24 scored vs America at Los Angeles. The second highest was 22 vs Kobe City. Their third highest score was recorded vs. the Colombo Hockey Tournament XI on their first visit to Ceylon when they piled up 21 goals to 1.

Record on Tour.

The following is the full record of the tour up to yesterday's game:—

	Won.
At Bhopal vs Aligarh	10-0
At Bhopal vs Bhopal State	8-2
At Bombay vs Bombay City	6-1
At Bombay vs Bombay Presidency	6-1
At Bombay vs Bombay Customs	3-0
At Bangalore vs Bangalore City	3-1
At Madras vs Madras City	4-2
At Madras vs Madras Presidency	7-4
At Colombo vs Colombo Tournament	21-1
At Colombo vs Ceylon	10-0
At Singapore vs British Malaya	7-0
At Kobe vs Kobe City	22-0
At Kobe vs Resident	15-0
At Tokyo vs Japan	11-0
At Tokyo vs Waseda	6-3
At Tokyo vs University	11-1
At Tokyo vs Olympic Games vs Japan	24-1
At Tokyo vs Olympic Games vs United States	18-1
At Philadelphia vs United States	5-1
At Essen vs West Germany	9-1
At Amsterdam vs. All Holland	14-2
At Hamburg vs North German Hockey Association	4-1
At Berlin vs Berlin Hockey Club	8-3
At Leipzig vs Middle German Hockey Association	6-0
At Munich vs German National team	12-0
At Prague vs German-Czechoslovak team	6-1
At Vienna vs Austria	5-0
At Budapest vs Hungary	11-0
At Colombo vs Ceylonese	11-0
At Colombo vs Europeans	8-1
At Colombo vs All Ceylon	4-0
At Madras vs Madras Indians	10-2
At Madras vs Madras H.A.	12-0
At New Delhi vs Delhi	0-0
At Bombay vs Bombay Customs	0-0
At Bombay vs All Bombay	325-31

Shanghai Golfer Down To One Stroke In Australia

Further evidence has been afforded of the golfing progress of young Jim Ferrier. When in Shanghai, his father, J. B. Ferrier, was a club champion, and was regarded as one of the finest players ever seen in the Far East. In the New South Wales Golf Council handicapping committee's revised list of the State par handicaps for the season, the elder Ferrier, who is secretary of the Manly Golf Club, is amongst the six-stroke men, whilst his son is one of the two at the extreme lower end of the list, with one stroke, partnered by the Australian amateur champion.

It may be remarked that Australian sport writers were practically unanimous in the opinion that, if young Ferrier could have secured leave from his office, the title would have gone to him instead of to Bettington. Commenting on the handicaps, the "Sydney Morning Herald" States:—

"To R. H. Bettington and J. Ferrier fall the honour of being the lowest handicap players among the amateurs. No one can quibble at this grading. Bettington, in addition to winning the amateur championship of New South Wales, later captured the Australian amateur title after a most spectacular finish."

"Ferrier has not captured a major title this year, though he won the Manly Club championship from some formidable players, and he has been a model of consistency. Week after week he has returned splendid cards on the Manly course. The youth does not get the same amount of practice as formerly, but there is no question concerning his ability."

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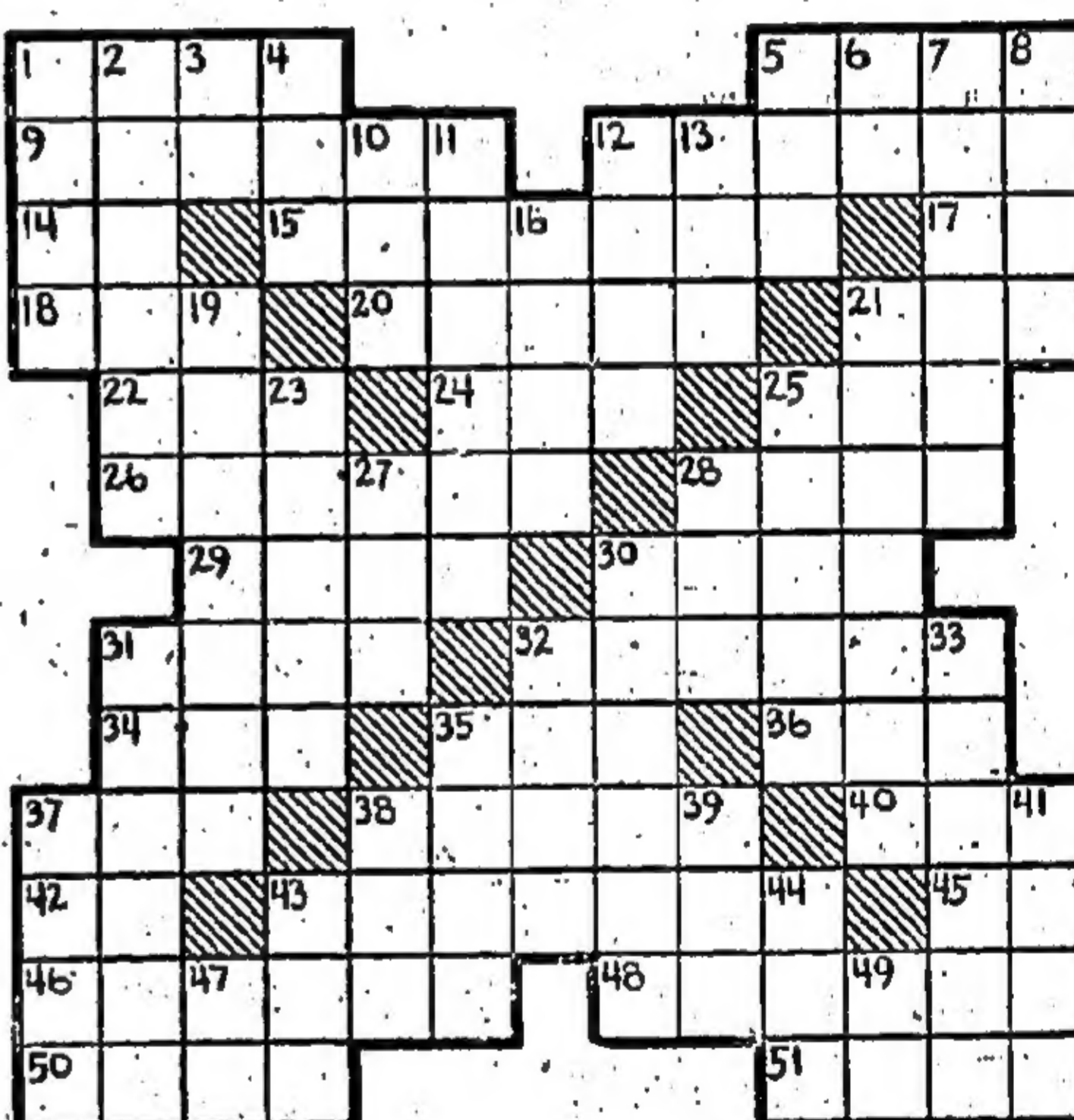
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



HORIZONTAL	HORIZONTAL (Cont.)	VERTICAL (Cont.)
1-Large lake	38-Three (Ital.)	11-Fear
6-Wheeled vehicle	37-Cover	12-Nest
9-A side-board	38-Penitence	13-Residence (abbr.)
12-Trapper	40-Organ of hearing	15-At the end
14-Barril (abbr.)	42-Army Corps (abbr.)	19-Brown over fire
15-Small dog	43-Brilliant	21-Provide
17-College degree (abbr.)	45-The (fr.)	23-Regulated courses of sailing
18-Place	46-Narrow body of water	25-An item in one's account
20-City in England	47-Tempest	27-The sheltered side
21-To work at steadily	50-Title of former Russian ruler	28-Swiss river
22-Measure of length	51-Bird's home	30-Accents
23-A month	52-S. W. State of U. S. (abbr.)	31-Puts out forcibly
25-S. W. State of U. S. (abbr.)	53-Mariner	32-Profess. Against
26-Mariner	54-On the ocean	33-Kingdoms
28-One who foretells	55-One who foretells	36-Anatomy (abbr.)
30-Te breathe convulsively	56-A suspension	37-Final
31-Diminutive suffix	57-A vehicle	38-Man's name
32-A debt overdue and unpaid	58-Advertisement (abbr.)	39-To stoop, as flag
34-Vessel (abbr.)	59-Parity	41-Cease
35-One (boat)	60-Walter	43-Clothe
	61-Elongated fish	47-Egyptian god
		49-Musical note

(The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle, will appear in to-morrow's issue.)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION.

RANK	CELL
CATER	ENTER
WORLD	IS
PALS	NIL
AMEE	EVA
SLOVEN	REFERS
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SPORT PAGE



PROSPECTS FOR CHINA'S DAVIS CUP ENTRY NOW DWINDLING

Rugby Notes

By Scrum Half

THE Army's display against the Club was most encouraging to say the least. They were unfortunately not to lower the Club colours, only a penalty goal separating the two teams. It is true that Dr. Selby was not out for the Club, but Macintosh, his understudy, completely outplayed Costello, who was deputising for the injured Hoskins, so that the absence of the Club skipper could hardly be put forward as an excuse for the narrow Club win. It all points to the fact that the Club have too many forwards, they do not know what to do with, and the lack of a good wing three-quarter outside Geoffrey Lammert is also a sore handicap. The appearance of Peers on the wing has not met with the success that it might have done. Ever since his injury last season Peers has been an altogether different player. He has lacked that fire which made him such a useful forward in the loose, and he has now developed a very bad habit of hacking instead of dribbling or picking up the ball.

GEORGEY LAMMERT is still as good as ever. In Saturday's game he was the live wire in the Club side, only the crooked running of Griffiths saving the Army line time and again. Had Griffiths run straight in in possession, instead of running towards the corner flag Lammert would never have been bundled into touch as much as he was. Though he has lost much of his speed Lammert is still far too fast for Griffiths, his inside-partner, with the consequence that when he breaks through there is no one up to take his pass when he is challenged.

RIGG is not fast enough for wing three-quarter and he is too unsteady for a full back in the first fifteen, so that it comes as a refreshing news that James Whitlam is likely to play again shortly. Since the en route absence of L. G. Robertson the Club have been desperately hard pressed for a satisfactory full back. With Roger Reeve unavailable until this month the choice lay between Rigg and Fox, the former being given his chance on Saturday. Though he found touch very satisfactorily when under heavy pressure Rigg caused many anxious moments when he allowed the ball to bounce instead of getting under it and fielding it in the right manner. This tendency of his completely spoiled his display.

THE Army are exceedingly well served behind the scrum and the early departure of Keith Murray will hardly be felt. In Martin they have a resourceful winger with plenty of dash and a keen sense of penetration; while Shaw on the other wing is a sound defensive player with a good burst of speed on occasion. Of the two centres Galletley has shown the more promise though the abilities of Hamilton are the better known. Hamilton was very disappointing on Saturday, and it was mainly due to his off-day that the Army were not able to force a win. Hoskins is recovering rapidly from his injury and will be fit to take his place behind the scrum on the departure of Costello, and should prove a good partner to Stevens. Prior is still the outstanding Army forward, and it is in this department of the game that the military fifteen will be weakest. They possess a heavy but unsteady pack and the tendency to hesitate when their hooker has gained possession will have to be remedied if they are to hold their own against the heavy Navy eight.

A NEWCOMER to local rugby is Lt. Hilbert who arrived in the Colony by the Neurala. He is to be stationed here with the Royal Artillery and is said to be a three-quarter of great promise. His inclusion in the team will probably rob Shaw of his place,

\$100,000 OFFER IS WITHDRAWN

KHOO'S PLAY IN SHANGHAI INTERESTS GENERAL

TSUI'S CLAIMS FOR INCLUSION

(By Ace.)

THE PROSPECTS FOR CHINA ENTERING A TEAM IN THE DAVIS CUP COMPETITION NEXT YEAR WERE DECIDEDLY ROSY WHEN THE SHANGHAI INTERPORT TENNIS TEAM WAS INVITED TO NANKING BEFORE LEAVING FOR HONG KONG, BUT NOW EVENTS HAVE TAKEN A NEW TURN AND THERE IS LITTLE PROSPECT OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION IN THE DAVIS CUP.

From what I gathered from the Shanghai players a Chinese general in the North had been prepared to finance the sending of a team to Europe to the extent of \$100,000, and it was with this in view that the Shanghai team visited Nanking to participate in a series of exhibition games. Now, however, I understand that the generous offer has been withdrawn, and China will be again unrepresented in the Davis Cup, unless another such offer is forthcoming.

The term which was thought in northern China to be the best representative side was Khoo Hoo-hye, Gordon Lum, Guy Cheng and Paul Kong. After the complete eclipse of J. L. Wade by Tsui Wai-pui in the Interport, however, a game between Cheng and Tsui was attempted, but owing to his brief visit Cheng was unable to find time to play his youthful opponent.

There is little doubt that Tsui would have been the only logical choice from Hong Kong, and there is still less doubt that he would beat either Cheng or Kong. He is probably the most promising player in all China.

It is thought that the remarkable return to form of Khoo was responsible for the unknown general's offer. His play in the Shanghai Championships was superb. He beat as doughty an opponent as Paul Kong by 6-0, 6-1, 6-1, and beat Gordon Lum in four sets to meet W. A. H. Duff in the Final; and beat the ex-Canadian Davis Cup player in three straight sets with comparative ease.

The last year that China entered a team was in 1929 when Gordon Lum and Paul Kong visited Europe. They each played two singles and were partners in the doubles.

but in the absence of Cameron a place could be found at full back for the versatile winger. The Lincolns have provided disappointing talent, and only Young looks like getting into the representative side.

SATURDAY'S game between the Club and the Navy should provide another good struggle and should act as a good pointer to the ultimate result of the Triangular series. The Navy will be unfortunate to be without the services of Ryder, who was injured recently, but they have a good side they can place in the field. Armitage is going to prove himself a great acquisition to the side and from all indications it looks as if the naval backs are going to be even stronger than last season when they swept all before them with Ryder and Hargreaves as the outstanding men. The formation of the Club pack will prove interesting. Millar, who was heralded by a big reputation, proved to be very light against the powerful Army forwards and was thus given little opportunity to display his undoubted abilities. His place may well be given to Munro, the newcomer, who would prove a much bigger handful for the Navy forwards. The absence of McElroy has already proved to be a big handicap as the Club have no other good front row forwards except Peers and Bradford. It will be more than interesting to see who will be given the other front row position, and Moutie looks as if he will be given the vacancy.

With Shanghai as the hub of tennis in China the Shanghai Interport team were given preference due to the fact that they were accustomed to one another's play, and that there was a definite sense of esprit-de-corps in the ranks of the northerners, but now unfortunately a fly has got into the amber and, according to Wade, the Shanghai skipper, there is now little possibility of such an event happening.

China Mail Complete Sports Programme for the Week

TO-DAY		Yachting—R.H.K.Y.C. Second Championship	
Hockey—Mamak Shield	Phoenix v. 1st H.K.S.R.A. (Marina 4.15)	Home Football—First Division	
Y.M.C.A. v. Radio	(Friendly at King's Pk. 5.15)	Aston Villa v. Blackpool	
TO-MORROW		Bolton v. Blackburn	
Hockey—Mamak Shield		Chelsea v. Birmingham	
24th Batty. v. R.A.S.C.		Huddersfield v. Sunderland	
Signals v. K.I.T.C. (Sookunpoo 4.15)		Leicester v. Wednesday	
Tamar v. University (King's Park 4.15)		Liverpool v. Leeds	
Club v. Medway (Friendly at Navy grd. 5.15)		Middlesboro' v. Derby	
FRIDAY		Newcastle v. Everton	
Hockey—Mamak Shield		Portsmouth v. West Bromwich	
12th Batty. v. 1st H.K.S.R.A. (Sookunpoo 4.15)		Sheff. U. v. Manchester C.	
Club 'A' v. Radio (Friendly at King's Pk. 5.15)		Wolves v. Arsenal	
Cricket—First League		Second Division	
C.S.C.C. v. I.R.C. (Happy Valley)		Bradford v. West Ham	
Second League—		Burnley v. Lincoln	
R.A.S.C. v. I.R.C. (Sookunpoo)		Charlton v. Bradford C.	
Friendly games—		Grimsby v. Millwall	
H.K.C.C. v. United Services. (H.K.C.C.)		Manchester U. v. Notts C.	
C.C.C. v. K.C.C. (Happy Valley)		Notts F. v. Chesterfield	
K.C.C. II. v. C.C.C. II. (K.C.C.)		Oldham v. Southampton	
University v. P.R.C. (Pakfulum)		Plymouth v. Fulham	
Football—First Division		Preston v. Bury	
Navy v. Kowloon (Kowloon 4.15)		Stoke v. Swansea	
South China v. Club (Caroline Hill 4.15)		Tottenham v. Port Vale	
Recreio v. Borderers (King's Park 4.15)		Third Division (South)	
Lincolns v. Artillery (Sookunpoo 4.15)		Aldershot v. Clapton	
Second Division—		Brighton v. Bournemouth	
South China v. Borderers (Caroline Hill 2.45)		Bristol R. v. Swindon	
Navy v. Eastern (Kowloon 2.45)		Cardiff v. Exeter	
St. Joseph's v. Ewo (St. Joseph's 2.45)		Crystal P. v. Coventry	
Club v. Athletic (Club 2.45)		Gillingham v. Brentford	
Lincolns v. Tsung Tsin (Chatham Road 2.45)		Grimsby v. Newport	
Artillery v. Kowloon (Sookunpoo 2.45)		Queens P. R. v. Northampton	
Third Division—		Reading v. Luton	
Signals v. South China (Chatham Road 4.45)		Southend v. Bristol C.	
Borderers v. St. Joseph's (Athletic 2.45)		Watford v. Torquay	
R.A.S.C. v. Lincolns (King's Park 2.45)		Third Division (North)	
Recreio v. Engineers (King's Park 4.15)		Accrington v. Hull	
Radio v. University (St. Joseph's 4.15)		Barrow v. Halifax	
Talkoo v. R.A.F. (Athletic 4.15)		Carlisle v. Tranmere	
Racing—Thirteenth Extra Race Meeting (Valley 1.30)		Chester v. Hartlepool	
Rugby—Club v. Navy (Valley 4.15)		Crewe v. Walsall	
		Mansfield v. Barnsley	
		New Brighton v. Gateshead	
		Reckless v. Doncaster	
		Rotherham v. Stockport	
		Southport v. Wrexham	
		SCOTTISH LEAGUE	
		First Division	
		Clyde v. Rangers	
		Cowdenbeath v. Airdrie	
		East Stirling v. Ayr	
		Hearts v. Hamilton	
		Kilmarnock v. Aberdeen	
		Morton v. Queen's Park	
		Motherwell v. Dundee	
		Partick v. Celtic	
		St. Johnstone v. Falkirk	
		Third Lanark v. St. Mirren	
		SUNDAY	
		Football—First Division	
		Police v. Athletic (Caroline Hill 4.15)	
		Hockey—Mamak Shield	
		Radio v. University (Caroline Hill 4.15)	
		K.I.T.C. v. St. Andrew's (Marina 4.15)	

LINGNAM ATHLETES VISIT COLONY

Tennis And Basketball Teams.

The Lingnam University of Canton are sending tennis and basketball teams to Hong Kong by the early train on Friday. The visitors will remain in the Colony for only three days during which period matches will be played against the South China Athletic Association, the Chung Nam Athletic Association and the Hong Kong University.

The visiting basketball team is the best Canton can produce, and it is anticipated that it will easily overcome local opposition. The names of the team are as follows: Wong Shu-ping (captain), Ma Pui-hing, Szeto Fan, Lee Ho-sun, Kwok Lam-yung, Chan Pak-ning, Chiu Do-chang, Shiu Tin-lim, Fong Kee-kwong, Lee Fuk-lam and Lui Pan-wing.

The names of the tennis players are as yet unknown, but it is understood that of eight players, both men and ladies, are making the trip.

The following is the programme:

Friday—Basketball
Lingnam v. Y.M.C.A. (7 p.m.)
Saturday—Tennis
Lingnam v. S.C.A.A. (2 p.m.)
Basketball—
Lingnam v. Chung Nam (8 p.m.)
Sunday—Tennis
Lingnam v. University (2 p.m.)
Basketball—
Lingnam v. University (5 p.m.)

WORLD TITLES.

American Ranking Of Boxers.

Jack Sharkey has been recognized by the National Boxing Association, in annual session here, as the United States and world heavyweight boxing champion.

Max Schmeling, of Germany, the former titleholder, was ranked next, followed by Max Baer. Ernie Schaaf was dropped from fourth to seventh and Primo Carnera and William L. Stribling were not listed among the first ten contenders.

Titles Dropped.

After Johnny Judick and Kid Chocolate had been recognized as junior welterweight champion and junior lightweight titleholder, respectively, the association voted to drop official recognition of the two classes.

Max Rosenbloom, recognized in some states as light-heavyweight champion, was placed first among the contenders, the title going to George Nichols.

Thil Gets Crown

Marcel Thil, of France, was called best of the middleweight class, filling the vacancy caused by Mickey Walker when he entered the heavyweight division, where he was rated fifth in this year's list.

Other champions of the National Boxing Association are as follows: Welterweight, Jackie Fields; lightweight, Tony Canzoneri; featherweight, Tommy Paul; bantamweight, Al Brown; and flyweight, Young Perez.

CHINESE BOXING.

The South China Athletic Association ground at Caroline Hill will be the scene of a series of contests in Chinese Boxing on November 13.

The tournament, which is open to those interested, is under the auspices of the Chinese Amateur Athletic Federation, who are making a big effort to add an impetus to the sport.



RECORD HOLDER—Miss Pauline Doran (North Surrey), who established a record by winning the Girls' Open Golf Championship for the third year in succession. She beat Miss Aline de Gunzburg (St. Cloud, Paris) on the nineteenth green at Stoke Poges.

Mamak Win for Wishart

ENGINEERS BEATEN BY TWO GOALS.

Club Seconds Lose.

In a Mamak Tournament match played at Sookunpoo yesterday afternoon, H.M.S. Wishart improved their position when they defeated the Royal Engineers by two clear goals, scored by Murrell and Beets. Play, however, never reached a high standard at any stage of the game.

MAMAK TOURNAMENT.

Table To Date	Goals
P. W. L. D. F. A. Pts.	
St. Andrew's	6 5 1 0 25 7 10
1st Bty. H.K.S.A.	4 4 0 0 23 4 8
H.K.S.R.A.	4 4 0 0 23 4 8
Incognitos	4 4 0 0 15 3 8
E.E.	7 4 3 0 9 12 8
R.A.S.C.	8 4 0 0 9 15 8
Radio	3 0 0 20 2 6
Police	3 3 0 0 7 2 6
University	4 3 1 0 11 6 6
Phoenix	3 2 1 0 7 5 4
12th R.A.	2 2 0 0 4 0 4
Wishart	2 2 0 0 4 1 4
Veteran	3 1 2 0 2 2 2
Parthian	3 1 2 0 6 2 2
24th R.A.	3 2 0 0 6 12 6
R.A.C.	2 0 0 0 4 0 4
20th R.A.	3 0 3 0 2 6 0
R.A.M.C.	4 0 4 0 1 11 0
Tamar	4 0 4 0 6 16 0
K.I.T.C.	4 0 4 0 3 19 0
German Club	5 0 5 0 2 24 0

LINCOLNS DRAW.

In a fast friendly encounter on the U.S.R.C. ground yesterday afternoon, the R.A.S.C. and the Lincolns regimental team played a drawn game by 3 goals all.

CLUB FIRST ELEVEN.

In to-morrow's match between the Hong Kong Hockey Club first eleven and H.M.S. Medway of the Navy ground, Kowloon, at 5 p.m. the following will represent the Club:—G. Duncan; J. Rodger, E. V. Reed; W. A. Reed, A. A. Dand (captain), J. E. Potter; J. L. Tetley, A. E. P. Guest, G. E. R. Divett, C. C. Francis, and A. T. Lay. Referee: W. Woodward.

TAMAR'S NARROW WIN OVER CLUB.

Hesitancy Among Forwards.

In an interesting friendly hockey encounter at King's Park yesterday afternoon H. M. S. Tamar defeated the Club seconds by the odd goal in three. The Club were without the services of S. MacNider and A. A. R. Botelho, but a Portuguese schoolboy, who was on the side-line, deputised for one of the absentees, and played a good game. C. C. Francis, who is a regular forward in the Club first team, played a brilliant game at centre-half, and proved the mainstay of the defence. The Club playing only four forwards were greatly handicapped, Nowers, at centre-forward having to exert himself to the full. The Club's main fault lay with their forwards who, time and again when well placed, failed miserably.

The Tamar had a well balanced eleven, their defence indulging in long ground passes to their forwards who combined well.

In the opening stages, the Club pressed, MacIntyre and Fincher going in close with shots that Jordan cleared. Shortly after, Nowers scored to give the Club the lead. Mid-field play ensued with Francis and Allen doing good work in the in the Club's defence, while Burditt was playing a hard game in the opposing defence, being responsible for breaking up many movements initiated by Kilbee. A mishap by Allen brought the sailors in to the Club's defence, and Stone found the net to score the equaliser.

Play in the second half was fairly even with the Club experiencing bad luck when in front of goal. On many occasions Fincher, when presented with an opportunity of shooting, passed the ball instead. A ding-dong struggle ensued, until the Tamar broke through for Gilhard to score with a shot that Fieldhouse only partly stopped.

Tamar—Jordan; Hill, Pay-Lt. Burditt; Eastlake, Downs, Surg-Lt. Corbett; Gillard, Pay-Lt. Jackson, Stone, Pay-Lt. Com. Tetley, Broken-shire.
Club—A. Fieldhouse; Major E. Braster-Craig, F. W. E. Allen; E. MacNider, C. C. Francis, Sub; L. D. Kilbee, Major H. M. J. MacIntyre, W. A. Nowers, E. C. Fincher.

LADIES' TENNIS

Mrs. Tottenham & Enid Lo "Seeded."

PARTNERS IN DOUBLES.

The following are the draws for the Ladies' Tennis Championships organised by the United Services Recreation Club:—

Singles:—
Mrs. Tottenham v. Mrs. Cheu.
Miss M. Griffiths v. Mrs. James.
Miss Thomas v. Miss Pullum.
Miss R. Hancock v. Mrs. Fischer.
Miss G. Lo v. Miss Grayham.
Mrs. K. M. Wood v. Mrs. Grimble.
Miss O. Dalziel v. Miss H. Hancock.

Miss H. E. Orms v. Miss E. Lo (holder).

Doubles:—
Mrs. Lockner and Mrs. Grimble.
Mrs. Ho Ka-lau and Miss G. Lo.

Mrs. Chou and Miss R. Rumjahn.
Mrs. Tottenham and Miss E. Lo.

Mrs. Stafford-Smith and Miss Thomas v. Mrs. Lambert and Mrs. Hampson.

Miss M. Griffiths and Miss O. Dalziel v. Mrs. Syddall and Mrs. Carter.

Mrs. Lissaman and Mrs. Fischer v. Misses R. and H. Hancock.

Mrs. Wales and Miss Hill v. Mrs. James and Miss Pullum.

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OVERHEARD

BY STACY AUMONIER

(Continued from page 7.)

"I could work my way out—stewardess or something. I'd go with you. You're not going to marry Lily, are you, Harry?"

"Not likely."
"She's not good enough for you, Harry. Oh, God! I believe it's her what got you going wrong, mixing with all them racing chaps and that..."

"You're too good for me, Florrie."

"Hi, miss, order me a boiled egg. And look here, tell 'em it's to be soft—not more than three minutes."

"Yes, sir."
"The young man laughed self-consciously."

"I've had a bit of luck."
While she was away the young man fidgeted with his moustache. He looked like a man eager to escape from an awkward situation. He gave a jaunty thrust to his hat, which he had never removed. He drew things on the marble top with a spoon. At last she came back.

"You say I'm too good for you, Harry. Praps in some ways I am. I go straight, in any case, which is more than you ever do. But I don't put much stock by that. I love yer, and that's enough for me. I'm willing to go with yer..."

"Perhaps one day when I get on..."

"Oh, go on! Once you get out there and you'll forget all about me. You never did really love me—and now that Lily..."

"I tell you there's nothing in it about Lily."

"Oh, don't let her lead you astray, Harry."

"What do you mean—lead me astray?"

The tall manageress swept down the room.

"Now then, Miss Harrison, get cruets together. We shall have the teas coming in soon."

"Yes, madam."

The room seemed to get dimmer. A queer party of country people strolled in, the kind of people who demand eggs and bacon at a quarter past three in the afternoon. What meal is this? breakfast, lunch or high tea? What did it matter? Outside was the roar of traffic; inside the low hum of desultory talk. A big man was leaning across the table, shaking a fat finger in the face of a doleful individual with a sandy beard, and declaiming:

"I see to 'im that's not the right and proper way to lay a floor joist."

Someone wanted to know the right time, and someone else the best way to get to the Horticultural Show. She thought suddenly of flowers... great masses of prize blossoms, purple, blue, and white, and the perfume of them and the memories...

"What fish have you got to-day, miss?"

"Only filleted plaice left, 'sir."

The young man was getting up

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skins. When she emerged once more into the main room the young man had gone. She vanished with her tray, and in a few minutes returned with it reladen. She went to the table where the country people were.

"Eggs and bacon, madam? Thank you, madam. Eggs and bacon, sir? Thank you, sir. Eggs and bacon, miss? Thank you, miss."

The man of the floor joists bawled out:

"Hi, have you got my coffee, miss?"

She looked at him a little startled, the vexatious expression of one who takes a pride in work and is found wanting. She said:

"I'm sorry, sir. I forgot. I'll go and fetch it."

"Damn these waitresses!" growled the man of the floor joists.

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COMORIN	15,000	4th Nov. 10 a.m.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
TAKADA	7,000	4th Nov.	
RANPURA	7,000	18th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*SUDAN	6,300	25th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
MAIWA	11,000	25th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
KAISAR-I-HIND	12,000	2nd Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
RANCHI	17,000	18th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*BURDWAN	6,500	28th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CARTHAGE	14,000	30th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.

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R. Stanley Dollar, head of the Dollar Line and President of the United States Lines, returned to New York recently in such an optimistic mood that he anticipated that within a comparatively few years the American mercantile marine would carry the great burden of American passenger and freight traffic from New York for the first period in post-war years. He admitted that he would confer at New York with officials of the Roosevelt-I. M.M. Company regarding the construction of another sister ship for the Manhattan and Washington. He arrived on the United States Liner, Leviathan.

Despite the fact that Mr. Dollar found that European nations were contemplating the greatest junking of liner tonnage in the history of international shipping, he said that the United States was short of sufficient vessels of the Manhattan class to carry mails and maintain a weekly regular mail service. For this reason he agreed that it was imperative to have another vessel like the Manhattan and the Washington.

"I think that we shall not only keep the business we have put that we shall have to put on additional passenger tonnage and freight services to keep pace and get America's rightful percentage of trade as against competing lines," said Mr. Dollar.

"We have to have and maintain the right number of ships in order to be the strongest factor in the north Atlantic service. So, a third ship like the Manhattan would give us a weekly sailing and possibly an adequate service. Naturally, the question of such a new ship will come up at a conference which I shall attend soon in New York. When such a ship will be built I cannot say at this time.

"But it is most gratifying to find at this period of the year more than 1,350 passengers arriving on the Leviathan. The fact is that in recent months the Americans who formerly travelled, in many instances, on foreign ships are now patronising our American vessels. We must here express our appreciation of this fact.

"The new Italian super-speed ships shall not affect us, as we do not cover the same trade route. But possible we shall feel the competition of certain speed liners now under construction in other foreign yards.

Is Speed Chief Need?

"There is, however, the question as to whether the average American voyager has not changed his view about speeding across the Atlantic. I think that they are perhaps bored with this thrill.

"I was pleased to read in dispatches from America that an official of our Post Office Department at Washington also felt that the question of a few hours more or less at sea mattered little to voyagers. Time doesn't mean as much to any voyager now as it did in 1928 or 1929.

"I think that the speed mania has cooled down to such an extent that it is questionable as to whether it would be advisable to build a mammoth super speed liner. We think our fast cabin ships will hold their own and those who want greater speed can travel on the Leviathan."

Mr. Dollar said that he had discussed various phases of shipping with foreign shipping officials and that he believed in co-operation over their shipping outlook.

"So many of the foreign shipping interests are talking only of scrapping tonnage, but he does not believe in this destructive process," he added.

In conclusion he said that he awaited the forthcoming meeting of the Trans-Atlantic Passenger Conference in Europe, as he hoped it would equalize passenger rates. He anticipated no increase in minimum rates.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

Consignees of cargo ex a.s. Conte Verde are reminded to take delivery of their goods which will be subject to rent after November 5.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The P. & O. s.s. Comorin left Singapore for this port on October 29 at noon with the outward English Mails; and is due here on November 3 at about 10 a.m.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR PARCEL MAILS FOR GREAT BRITAIN

Christmas and New Year Parcel Mails for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office at the times given and despatched by the following steamers:—

Steamer	Date of Closing	Date Due at London
Rajputana	5 p.m., 4th November	9th December
Bangalore	5 a.m., 11th November	18th December
Corfu	5 p.m., 18th November	23rd December

INWARD MAILS.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1.	
Shanghai	Philoctetes
Batavia	Tjibadak
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2.	
Shanghai and Swatow	Suiyang
Swatow	Cremor
Manila	Emp. of Asia
Calcutta and Straits	Takada
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3.	
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers)	London
Oct. 6 and Parcels, Sept. 29	Comorin
Calcutta and Straits	Yuensang
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4.	
Japan and Shanghai	Rajputana
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, October 15)	Pres. Madison
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5.	
Australia and Manila	Tanda
Japan	Melbourne Maru
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6.	
Japan	Africa Maru
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7.	
Japan	Muroran Maru
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8.	
Japan and Shanghai	Felix Roussel
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9.	
Saigon	Angkor
Shanghai	Conte Verde
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10.	
Japan and Shanghai	Terukuni Maru

OUTWARD MAILS.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1.	
Swatow, Amoy and Peohow	Hai Ning 2 p.m.
Bangkok	Clara Jacobsen 3 p.m.
Amoy	Tai Yuen 3.30 p.m.
Saigon	Fjorden 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Jackson 4.30 p.m.
Samsuwa and Wuchow	Tai Ming 4 p.m.
Swatow	Norviken 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, Central and South America and *Europe via San Francisco	Asama Maru (Due San Francisco, Nov. 28). Registrations Nov. 1, 5 p.m. Letters Nov. 2, 8.30 a.m.
Manila, Rabaul, *Australia and *New Zealand via Brisbane	Nelloro (Due Brisbane, November 21). Parcels Nov. 1, 5 p.m. Registrations 8.45 a.m. Letters 9.30 a.m.
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2.	
Sandakan	Mausang 8.30 a.m.
Amoy	Tjibadak 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Sunning 12.30 p.m.
Straits	Philoctetes 2.30 p.m.
Amoy	Newchwang 3.30 p.m.
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3.	
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Deli Maru 8.30 a.m.
Straits	Cremor 10.30 a.m.
*Japan and *Canada	Protenilus 10.30 a.m. (Due Victoria B.C., Nov. 28). Hydrangea 3 p.m.
Swatow	Empress of Asia (Due Vancouver, B.C., Nov. 21). Parcels Nov. 3, 3 p.m. Registrations 4.15 p.m. Letters 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Vancouver, B.C. and *Europe via Siberia	

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Arrival Of Ships

Sunday, October 30.	tions, Capt. J. W. Anderson, from Manila, buoy No. A8.—States S.S. Co.
Fingal, Norwegian str., 1,224 tons, Capt. B. Bolt, from Bangkok, buoy No. B16.—Thoresen & Co.	Norviken, Norwegian str., 1,779 tons, Capt. R. Jensen, from Canton, buoy No. B2.—J.M. & Co.
Fjorden, Norwegian str., 988 tons, Capt. Handeland, from Whampoa, buoy No. C2.—Wallem & Co.	President Jackson, American str., 3,377 tons, Capt. J. Griffith, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—Dollar Line.
Huichow, British str., 1,222 tons, Capt. A. H. Bathurst, from Canton, buoy No. B3.—B. & S.	Ramsey, German str., 4,899 tons, Capt. Hesselmann, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—Jensen & Co.
Kaituna, British str., 1,208 tons, Capt. Christie, from Whampoa, Yaumati Anchorage.—Williamson & Co.	Storviken, Norwegian str., 2,986 tons, Capt. K. Died, from Whampoa, buoy No. A5.—Wallem & Co.
Promise, Norwegian str., 727 tons, from Bangkok, buoy No. B12.—Chin Seng Hong.	
Tijuca, Norwegian str., 3,252 tons, Capt. Ole Meyer, from Manila, buoy No. A2.—Thoresen & Co.	
Monday, October 31.	
Chaksang, British str., 1,407 tons, Capt. J. McAnish, from Swatow, West Point Wharf.—J.M. & Co.	Monday, October 31.
C. Henri Riviere, French str., 1,855 tons, Capt. P. B. Morganti, from Pakhoi, buoy No. B17.—Sing Kee.	Chaksang, for Canton.
Deli Maru, Japanese str., 1,298 tons, Capt. E. Sanada, from Swatow, O.S.K. Wharf.—O.S.K.	Hellas, for Swatow.
Nansenville, Norwegian str., 3,529 tons, Capt. W. Wergeland, from Manila, buoy No. A7.—Bank Line.	Honrik, for Canton.
New Orleans, American str., 3,856 tons, Capt. J. W. Anderson, from Manila, buoy No. A8.—States S.S. Co.	Huichow, for Tientsin.
	Hydrangea, for Swatow.
	Kiangsu, for Bangkok.
	Laganbaki, for Shanghai.
	Nansenville, for Portland.
	New Orleans, for New York.
	Peter Maersk, for Manila.
	Shun Lee, for Tientsin.
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Pres. Coolidge Jan. 3	Pres. Madison Jan. 7

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Pres. Pierce Dec. 11	Pres. Garfield Jan. 22

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Pres. Madison Nov. 5	Pres. Lincoln Dec. 13
Pres. Harrison Nov. 13	Pres. Jefferson Dec. 17
Pres. McKinley Nov. 15	Pres. Monroe Dec. 25
Pres. Cleveland Nov. 19	Pres. Coolidge Dec. 27
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AUSTRALIA BIDS FOR TRADE PACT WITH NANKING
Representative Arranges New Agreement.
The growing interest taken by financial men in developing trade with China has resulted in a visit to negotiate with the Chinese Government at Nanking by Mr. R. W. K. Chen, who was the guest of honour at a farewell dinner given by the Board of Directors of the China Associates Corporation, Ltd., last night at the Hong Kong Hotel. Mr. Chen represents Australian interests.
The Chairman of the occasion, Mr. A. Aug-chen placed emphasis on trade reciprocity and it was on this basis that his Corporation had solved the major portion of the intricate problem before them. Many overseas organisations had endeavoured to develop business but few had achieved their ambitions, due to lack of provision for unforeseen circumstances unknown in Western Commercial practices.
The toast of "Our Guest" was proposed by Mr. Chan Cheuk-yin L.L.D., a member of the Board of Directors of Luk Hoi-tong Banking and Insurance Companies. Mr. Chan said his friendship with "The Guest" of honour extended over a tralla.

LARGE DEMAND FOR "ESTATE" HOMES.
London, To-day.
Latest statistics of the London Council show that 261,000 persons are housed on estates developed by the Council and a heavy demand for houses on these estates is seen in the further 200,000 applications which have been made for vacancies.—British Wireless Service.
period of twenty-two years and during that time both were very closely connected with the Chinese Government at Canton. Mr. Chen held the post of Vice-President of the Cement Bureau under Mr. Frank Lee.
Mr. Chen said he had been committed to undertake an important mission to Australia, and he would convey the felicitations of the various bodies he had come in contact with the people in Australia.
Since his visit to China some years ago, Kowloon had been developed beyond recognition and he commended the administration of Hong Kong for its progressive and able direction. If the rest of the East could follow this model Colony much would have been done towards stabilisation, he said.
In concluding, Mr. Chen said his visit had resulted in a definite trade understanding with the Chinese Government and this would be conveyed to the Government of Australia.

OPERA SUBSIDY SUSPENDED.
B.B.C. Promises All Possible Aid.
London, To-day.
It was announced in the House of Commons yesterday that the Government had decided to suspend the Opera Subsidy for the next year.
The British Broadcasting Corporation has undertaken to give British Opera all the assistance practicable.—British Wireless Service.
PRINCESS INGRID IN LONDON.
London, To-day.
Princess Ingrid of Sweden, who has been visiting her grandfather, The Duke of Connaught at Sidmouth, Devon, returned to London to-day and is staying with Princess Alice at Kensington Palace.—British Wireless Service.
PRINCE OLAF FLIES TO ENGLAND.
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Prince Olaf of Norway reached Croydon yesterday afternoon flying from the Continent.—British Wireless Service.

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